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HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

14th August, 1890.

John Flewin, Esquire, of Metlakahtla, to be Collector of Votes for the Skeena Polling Division of the Cassiar Electoral District, vice Wm. H. Dempster, Esquire, resigned.

21st August, 1890.

Henry Elliott, James B. Kennedy, and Charles McDonough, all of the City of New Westminster, Esquires, to be Justices of the Peace within and for the County of Westminster.

Henry Elliott, Esquire, J. P., to be a Selector of Jurors for New Westminster District, vice Robert Dickinson, deceased.

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EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

English Ship Owners Form a Union to Resist the Demands of the Dockers.

Grave Outlook for the Irish Peasantry During the Winter Owing to the Potato Blight.

Dhuleep Singh Pardoned on Condition That He Renounce His Claim to Lahore.

A SHIP OWNERS' UNION.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The most conspicuous battle in the annual war between labor and capital is that which is raging just at present between the ship owners and their employees. For a long time the ship owners have complained that they were subjected to needless and embarrassing dictation from the workmen's unions, and that all their efforts to secure a mere reasonable course of action were fruitless. The attitude of the men has been influenced apparently by the success of the dockers' strike, and they seem imbued with the idea that they are masters of the situation and can enforce their demands at will. One of the latest phases of the situation is the project put forth by the dockers' union to have the vessel owners deal directly with them instead of through the middlemen. The union would in that case receive in a lump sum the amount of the men's wages and the usual profit, an addition which would be equivalent to a decided increase in the compensation of the workmen. The scheme, is for various reasons, objectionable to all parties except the workmen, and it has slight chances of maturing. The ship owners, moved to concerted action by this and many other obnoxious demands of the workmen's unions, have now formed a strong union or combination among themselves for the purpose of resisting the unwarranted demands on the part of the men and regaining their former privilege of managing their own affairs as they see fit. Their determined attitude has increased the friction already existing, and the trouble may reach a critical stage at any moment. The ship owners forming the union have a joint capital of $100,000,000.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

The French commission on the Panama canal has reported in favor of granting a new French company five years time within which to complete the canal. There is such a difference of opinion among engineers as to whether the work can be finished in 1895 that the company hesitates to proceed without a modification of conditions.

THE POTATO BLIGHT IN IRELAND.

Reports received from twenty-five agricultural centres of Donegal county, Ireland, indicate a grave outlook for the inhabitants during the coming winter, owing to the potato blight, which will almost certainly cause famine. Local charities are preparing to do all in their power to avoid destitution, but outside aid will doubtless be required in addition.

DHULEEP SINGH'S PARDON.

Dhuleep Singh's family has for some time past urged him to abandon his hostile attitude towards England and receive pardon. These solicitations and the apparent hopelessness of obtaining powerful supporters of his pretensions led to his apology. He was pardoned on condition that he should renounce his claim to Lahore. The Princes of the Punjaub who were informed of his proposed action, refused to concur unless they should receive compensation in the shape of a subsidy for the loss of their prospective interests in Dhuleep Singh's dominions. This matter was finally arranged satisfactorily. Dhuleep Singh expects that part of his sovereign rights will be returned to him by England as a reward for his renewed adhesion. He will, however, reside permanently in Europe.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

The Anglo-Portuguese Agreement.

LISBON, Aug. 21.—According to a Portuguese version of the agreement of England on the African question, England recognizes as Portuguese territory "Hinterland," or the territory back of Angola, from 11½ degrees of latitude to the northern boundary of the German sphere of influence, Great Britain having free way between her northern and southern territories, and all the country to the westward of Nyassi to be British. All future boundary disputes are to be referred to arbitration. Transit duties on goods passing through Portuguese territory are not to exceed three per centum ad valorem. The Lisbon press generally approves of the agreement.

Emin Again Attacks Stanley.

BERLIN, Aug. 21.—Emin Pasha, writing to a friend in Germany, bitterly renews his attack upon Stanley, and reiterates his former complaints against that explorer.

A Swiss Cyclone.

GENEVA, Aug. 21.—It is reported that 150 persons were killed by a cyclone in the Canton on Varid.

THE ELEMENTS TOO STRONG

For the Walls of a Philadelphia Building—One Collapses With Several Fatal Results.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 21.—Four persons were killed, three probably fatally injured, and three others seriously hurt, by the falling of a wall of the stables of the 12th and 16th street car company at 120th street and Susquehanna avenue this evening during a severe wind and rain storm.

The killed are August Paul, a car driver and his wife; Charles Severn, a conductor; Charles Fisher, a driver; Henry Jacoby, a conductor; Jas. G. Martin, driver, and Chas. Brown, a passenger, were so badly hurt that they will probably die. Henry Trodweller a stablemen, a son of August Paul, and an u known boy are very severely hurt and their recovery is doubtful. John Christy, a horse changer, has been missing since the wall fell, and it is believed he was buried in the ruins. Driver Paul was an old employee of the road. His wife, accompanied by their only son, had brought supper to him, and the three were sitting in the car together when the wall came down. In this car was also Conductor Severn and Charles Brown. When the wall toppled in this car was completely crushed and the horses were killed. Severn expired in a few minutes after being taken from the wreck. Brown had both arms and both legs broken. Paul's son had an arm broken, and is otherwise seriously hurt. Another car standing in front of Paul's was also crushed in, driver Fisher being instantly killed, and conductor Jacoby so severely injured that his death is momentarily expected. Another car, of which Jas. Martin was the driver, was smashed and Martin so severely injured about the back and internally that his life is despaired of,

PROVINCIAL EXHIBITS.

Mr. Gosnell Making Collection of Specimens for the Toronto and St. John, N. B., Exhibitions.

Mr R. E. Gosnell, of Vancouver, is at present in town on behalf of the Provincial Exhibition in the interest of the provincial exhibit to be made at Toronto and St. John, N. B. It is the intention to send specimens, as much as possible, of all the products of the province, natural and manufactured, so as to enlighten the people in the East as to the immense resources of the Pacific province. Mr. Gosnell has received every encouragement and expects that the provincial contribution will be a worthy one. The fruits, vegetables, minerals and fossils that are to be sent will, no doubt, be a revelation to those who see them. There will also be a contribution from the Provincial Museum. The fish, marine curiosities and manufactures that will go from here will, with the other articles contributed, make the British Columbia court, which is near the grand stand, at Toronto, a most attractive department. It is desirable that non-perishable articles be forwarded to Vancouver by the 26th inst. and perishable things by the first of September. The C.P.R. will carry the exhibits free both ways, and the greatest possible care will be taken of whatever is entrusted to Commissioner Gosnell and his assistants. The people of Nanaimo are contributing largely to the collection which is being made, in the shape of some magnificent fruit and specimens of coal and fossils. It is to be hoped that the people of Victoria will see to it that they are worthily represented on this auspicious occasion.

CAPITAL NOTES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 21.—The report that the proposed phosphate trust has collapsed is contradicted by well-known authorities. The phosphate people say the whole requisite stock has not been taken up, but it undoubtedly will be.

Ottawa's civic holiday took place to-day. The weather was miserable for pleasure seekers.

LURING GIRLS TO RUIN.

Victoria Procuress Captured in Portland With Two Victims.

PORTLAND, Aug. 20.—Mrs. Raymond, who keeps a house of questionable character in Victoria, B.C., was arrested here to-day when about to board a Northern Pacific train in company with Annie McGee and Mary Wright, two girls about 17 years of age, whom it is alleged she had induced to lead a life of shame in her house. Mrs. Raymond was locked up in jail, and will have a hearing to-morrow.

B. C. UNIVERSITY.

Meeting Held at Vancouver — Resolution Passed Favoring the Establishment of the Institution.

A meeting of those interested in the establishment of a provincial university, was held in the Imperial opera house at Vancouver on Tuesday night.

Mayor Oppenheimer being unable to attend, Mr. F. Schofield, B.A., was appointed chairman, those with him occupying places on the platform being Rev. E. D. McLaren, Dr. Beckingsale, Dr. Lanson, Prof. Odlum and Mr. J. M. O'Brien.

Speeches, favoring the establishment of the university and pointing out the benefits it would confer on all classes, were made by Rev. E. D. McLaren, Dr. McGuigan, Rev. E. Robson, and Prof. Odlum, the latter moving the following resolution, which was carried unanimously:

WHEREAS, The Legislature of British Columbia has decided to establish a Provincial University, and whereas the location of the University buildings is under consideration, and whereas the selection of the site is of the utmost importance, not only in relation to the permanent welfare of the University itself, but also to the general educational interests of the Province, and whereas the major part of the population and material interests of the Province is on the Mainland, where the ratio of increase also is much more rapid than on the Island of Vancouver; therefore, be it

Resolved, 1st—That this meeting, called in the interests of the Mainland, expresses its hearty approval of the action of the Government in inaugurating a Provincial University and pledges an earnest support in its development. 2nd—That it is the opinion of this meeting that all the interests involved will be best served by placing the University buildings on the Mainland. 3rd.—That a copy of these resolutions be forwaded to the Government.

Ald. J. M. Browning, E. Nicholls and Ald. Carroll were called on to make a few remarks. They all concurred in the sentiments expressed by the previous speakers. Ald. Carroll spoke of the necessity of co-operation on the part of the graduates of the older universities. The meeting then adjourned.

J. Lethbridge, of the Winnipeg Free Press, is spending a few days in the city on his return from California.

Palliser's Modern Architecture, $1, a Daley's.

Orders received at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s for the New Map of Victoria. Price, $2.40.

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OF Ninette, Man., writes that she has used Burdock Blood Bitters for loss of appetite and headache with the greatest benefit and heartily recommends it. Her experience is shared by thousands. B.B.B. is a specific for headache.

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CANADIAN NEWS.

The Canadian Pacific Building 1,000 Box Cars to Move the Season's Crop.

A Diver of the Royal Engineers at Halifax Meets With a Shocking Death.

British Farmers' Delegates Selected to Visit Canada—Changes in Quebec's Cabinet.

Farmers' Excursion.

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 21.—A large farmers' excursion left last evening on the C.P.R. for the Northwest.

A Papal Decoration.

QUEBEC, Que., Aug. 21.—Lieut.-Governor Angers has been appointed by the Pope Knight Grand Cross of St. Gregory the Great.

Charged with Arson.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Aug. 21—A. S. Stillwell, Robt. Brigham and Jos. Ball have been arrested, charged with having set fire to an hotel at Eden village owned by Edmund Grey.

Grand Orange Lodge.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Aug. 21.—At the meeting of the Grand Orange Lodge, yesterday, C. Wallace was re-elected grand master; E. F. Clarke, mayor of Toronto, deputy grand master, and Robt. Birmingham, grand secretary. The Grand Lodge has sanctioned the formation of Lady Orange Lodges.

Changes in the Quebec Cabinet.

MONTREAL, Quebec, Aug. 20.—At a meeting of the Quebec cabinet yesterday, Robidoux was appointed attorney-general; Langelier, provincial secretary and Trucotte, plenipotentiary.

En Route to Victoria.

TORONTO, Aug. 21.—Hon. Mrs. Joyce, accompanied by her son, Rev. A. G. Joyce, are here. They are en route for Winnipeg and Victoria. They will visit on the way all the intermediate immigration agencies for the purpose of promoting the interests of the society they represent.

British Farmers' Delegates.

TORONTO, Aug. 21.—A special cablegram to the Globe says: Sir Charles Tupper has received one hundred and fifty applications in response to letters inviting British farmers delegates to visit Canada. Nine or eleven will be selected, who will start two or three weeks hence.

A Toronto Undertaker Dead.

TORONTO, Aug. 21.—Undertaker Henry Stone, of Yonge street, is dead from cancer.

A Diver's Shocking Death.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 20.—Yesterday a number of the regular mining corps of the Royal engineers left here and anchored off McNabb's Island, where Corporal Nichols went down down in a diving suit in about 100 feet of water after an anchor, to which a chain was to be attached. After he had been down some time those above observed that something was wrong, as they could get no signal from him. After six hours the lifeless body of Nichols was taken from the water. Nichols was 100 feet under water, and had attached the rope to a heavy anchor, in order to have it hauled to the surface, when the rope in some way became tangled in his gear. He cut it in order to clear it, ane the anchor fell upon and killed him.

Bound for the Orient.

WINNIPEG, Man., Aug. 21.—Passed through the city to-day, on their way to the Orient, Sir Jas. Russell, C.M.G., Chief Justice of Hong Kong, China; and Mr. E. Whiteall, of Yokohama, Japan. Sir James was knighted for distinguished services two years ago.

Big Box Car Contract.

MONTREAL, Que., Aug. 21.—The Canadian Pacific Railway has given out contracts for 1,000 box cars, to be ready the first week in October, for the purpose of adequately moving the season's crop. The contract has been divided among all the car works in Canada to insure prompt delivery. The amount involved is considerably over half a million.

AMERICAN NEWS.

A Great Light Flickering.

LANSING, Mich., Aug. 21.—Hon. Isaac P. Christiancy, ex-supreme court Justice of Michigan; ex-senator and minister to Peru under President Hayes is dying at his home. He is 78 years old.

Love's Golden Dream Is Past.

CASSAPOLIS, Mich., Aug. 21.—James Matthews, of Calvin, a small village near here, shot and killed Mrs. Charles Matthews and afterwards shot himself fatally last night. He had asked Mrs Matthews to marry him. She refused and he became so enraged that he killed her. Fearing to meet the consequences of his act, or perhaps giving way to the more romantic feeling that he could not live without the life he had taken, he followed her into eternity.

Death Comes Unexpectedly.

ROCHESTER, N.Y., Aug. 21.—The walls of the New St. Stanislaus (Polish) church, in process of erection, collapsed this morning, burying in their fall John Bauer and Andrew Carter, both of whom were crushed to death.

The Automatic Torpedo.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—The Patrick automobile torpedo had another test at College Point to-day, in the presence of United States army officers. Strictly speaking, this torpedo is not automobile, being operated by an electric current. It is an innocent-looking contrivance, which floats in the water and has its movements directed from the shore, with which it is connected by wires. Under the guidance of a skillful manipulator it will dart back and forth through the water like an energetic porpoise, and can be made to sneak up to the side of an enemy's ship without the least bit of fuss. The war department has signified its willingness to pay $20,000 for one of the machines and $15,000 apiece for two duplicates of it as soon as its ability to travel at the rate of twenty miles an hour is satisfactorily demonstrated. If it cannot go at the rate of fifteen miles an hour it will not be purchased. To-day's test develops speed over measured ground equal to seventeen knots, a gait which shows that the torpedo could catch and sink anything except the very fastest war ships.

Pleasure's Sad Termination.

NEW YORK, Aug 21.—At Whitestone, R. I., to-day three young men and three girls, belonging to an excursion party from New York, started out into the bay in a row boat. Through the mismanagement of the men the boat was upset and five of the party were drowned in sight of their fellow-excursionists on shore. The rescued one, a woman, was saved with difficulty.

There's a Cause Somewhere.

BLUE ISLAND, Ills., Aug. 21. — There was a terrific explosion in the Standard Cartridge factory this afternoon by which three labourers were killed and 13 others seriously wounded, three of whom it is expected will die. The explosion occured in the packing room, but what caused it no one seems able to tell. No one was about the packing room at the time of the accident, and those who were injured were working in the engineer's department. The machinary in the factory was destroyed, and windows were blown around for blocks.

The Coming Language.

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 21.—The North American Association for the propagation of Volapuk opened a three days' convention here to-day. Twenty-three states were represented; delegates are present from New York, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Missouri and other states.

The Victim Recognized.

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 21.—A special dispatch from Quincy says: Superintendent Ware of the Crompton loom works, has fully identified the victim of the Old Colony disaster as Estella Barry, who was employed in his office as a type-writer.

More Trouble for the Central.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Fifty non-union switchmen, who were brought here to take the strikers' places, quit work this afternoon. They claim that they were brought on misrepresentation; this leaves the Central road in as bad condition here as at any time during the trouble.

WILKESBARRE'S VISITATION.

The Inevitable Aftermath — Efforts Being Made to Repair the Damage and Lighten Suffering.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Aug. 21.—In all parts of the city carpenters and bricklayers are engaged repairing the damage done by the late cyclone, and hundreds more could be employed. Food and money are sorely needed, though most of the sufferers are being relieved by the authorities and the charitably disposed. Work will be suspended for the next sixty days at Hillman mine, the head houses of the breaker having been completely blown away and part of the machinery damaged. For a time the hundred men who were employed in the mine when the storm came on were in a precarious condition, as the fan had stopped, but they made for the shaft and got safely out. Black damp ignited the gas that quickly accumulated, and this threatened serious consequences, but a shift of six men fought the flames and finally put them out. The city was again thronged with sightseers to-day. The injured are all doing well, and, as far as is known, no additional deaths have occurred.

WESTMINSTER PUBLIC MEETING

To Protest Against the Sending of the Militia to Wellington.

A public meeting to protest against the sending of troops to Wellington, was held at Westminster on Wednesday night, Mayor Brown presiding.

The meeting was addressed by the chairman, by Mr. Foster, M.P.P., Mr. D. S. Curtis, Mr. G. E. Corbould, M.P., Mr. H. Turnbull and Mr. J. C. Armstrong. The following resolution was moved by Mr. Curtis and carried:—

"Whereas, an armed force has been sent to Nanaimo district on pretense that such a force was necessary for the preservation of the public peace, and it appears that no necessity for this act existed, but, on the contrary, the utmost good order prevailed; and that it further appears that the said armed force was sent into the district upon the requisition of three magistrates of Victoria, who took action on "ex parte" statements without the knowledge or consent of magistrates resident in Nanaimo; and whereas, such arbitrary actions are a threat to the liberties of, and an insult to a law-abiding people; therefore, be it resolved, that we, the people of Westminster, hereby emphatically protest against the injustice done our friends at Nanaimo, and call upon the proper authorities to cause the immediate removal of said armed force; and that we hereby assure the people of said City of our deep sympathy with them in this their present trial, and our earnest belief that they have done nothing to justify the extreme measures which have been pressed upon them, but on the contrary have borne themselves with commendable wisdom and temper, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Mayor of Nanaimo."

The following resolution was offered to the meeting:—

"That the government be requested to cancel the commission of the magistrates who signed the order for the despatch of the troops to Nanaimo."

Mayor Brown objected to this resolution. He said that if, as had been stated, that the meeting had been called for political purposes he was opposed to any measure that would embarrass the government. If the resolution was seconded, and the meeting desired it, he had no choice as chairman but to put the resolution.

Upon the chairman's request the motion was withdrawn. A vote of thanks was passed to the chairman and the speakers, and the meeting dispersed.

ICE Cream made to order and delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery, No. 116 and 118 Government street. Telephone No. 161. YOUNG BROS.

THE CYCLONE'S PATH.

A Dozen Victims of the Wilkesbarre Storm—Houses Fall in and Crush the Inmates.

Four Hundred Buildings Demolished—The Loss Will Probably Reach One Million.

WILKESBARRE, Aug. 20.—As time goes on, the severity of the cyclone is more and more demonstrated. Immense buildings containing many people were unroofed, and in many cases almost destroyed in the twinkling of an eye, and at the hour when the people were about the streets, amid flying timbers and debris of every character. The city in its most frequented parts, around the depots, presents its worst appearance, and when it is remembered that passenger and freight cars were lifted from the tracks upon which they stood and laid on their sides, while other cars were rushed along the tracks by the force of the cyclone's whirl, the mere conception of its terrible velocity is obtained.

An unusual centre of activity was noticeable in the vicinity of Lee park. The lower clouds began scudding in great circles at tremendous speed. Their vortex seemed to be close in the vicinity but to the north of the cutlery works at South Wilkesbarre. A sudden gust of wind sprang up and in a moment had increased to a roar. The Vulcan Iron Works, James Morris' foundry and the Keystone flour mill felt the first shock, the wind dashing the heavy materials about like straws.

The storm swept upon Main street, raising the building on the west side of that thoroughfare. Then it struck the handsome residences, stores, green-houses, pottery works, etc., along Main street as far as Academy.

The western edge of the storm extended to the lower end of Franklin street and Dana Place. Brick dwellings were unroofed and steps torn away, and some residences were levelled. South Main and Franklin streets were completely blocked with fallen trees, roofs, timbers and wires.

Veering eastward the storm swept Ross and Hasell streets, then up South Washington street, extending as far east on Ross as the Hazard Wire Rope works. It followed Washington street, wrecked St. Mary's church, then jumped to the Lehigh Valley depot, the Jersey Central depot, Stegmaier's brewery, and then swept al[illegible] the railroad to Five Points. Ther[illegible] turned east and again swept up P[illegible] street, out by Baltimore shaft No. 2, then chased up the mountain and spent itself in the woods.

The scene at the Hazard Wire Rope works was terrible. The immense building was badly injured, and in the debris lay the dead and injured, the latter helpless until assistance came to them. Here one of the worst phases of the cyclone's work could be realized, the ponderous machinery being mixed with brick, mortar and general debris. The number of seriously injured men at these works exceeds twelve and there were two killed.

Near the Delaware and Hudson railway on Scott street were houses occupied by the families of James McGinley and James Helegan, and all the members of these two families were at home while the fearful destruction went on, powerless to do anything for their safety. Both houses were leveled to the ground and the inmates held in the ruins by the debris. Mrs. Eliza Jane McGinley, aged about twenty-eight years, and the babe she held to her breast, and John McGinley, aged 13 years, were crushed to death. Mary Jane McGinley, a little daughter, was so severely hurt and crushed that but little hope is entertained for her recovery. The family of James Helegan could not be found in the ruins of their home, and fears are entertained that they all perished.

The Ninth regiment is on duty, in answer to a proclamation of the mayor. Soldiers are assisting the police in maintaining order, and are everywhere eager to do whatever is asked.

A careful estimate pieces the number of buildings demolished and partially destroyed at nearly 400. The loss will probably reach nearly, if not quite, $1,000,000. The number killed is eleven; fatally injured, ten; severely injured, twenty-four.

THE SCHOONER MARY ELLEN.

She Strikes a Rock Near Sand Point—The Vessel Repaired and Sails for Pribelov Islands.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—By the arrival in port to-day of the schooner John Hancock, from Alaska, details were received of a serious accident which happened to the well-known sealing schooner Mary Ellen. After making a successful cruise and catch, the Mary Ellen sailed for Unga island, which is located a few miles beyond Sand Point. In attempting to make the island the schooner ran on some rocks. It was instantly seen that her keel had been split into several pieces, and a big hole appeared in her larboard streak. She was purchased by Captain O'Brien, of Sand Point, for $500. O'Brien managed after considerable difficulty to get her off the rocks and she was subsequently taken to Sandy Point, where she was repaired well enough to let her go on another sealing cruise. A crew was obtained and she set sail again on a sealing expedition to Pribelov islands.

AN UNKNOWN EPIDEMIC.

The Inhabitants of Newfoundland Fishing Villages Dying by Hundreds from a Mysterious Disease.

ST JOHNS, Newfoundland, Aug. 20.—It is reported that the inhabitants of the fishing villages along the coast are dying by the hundreds from an unknown epidemic. Nothing has so far proved a cure, nor has an alleviative been found, and the disease marches from house to house and victim to victim with nothing to stay its awful progress. The first reports of the epidemic reached here two weeks ago on the arrival of the regular fortnightly coasting steamer, which calls at several of the more important fishing stations on the French shore. The captain reported to the health authorities that while touching at La Poile he was informed that a strange epidemic had broken out in Coachman's Cove. The people thought it the virulent type of diphtheria called "black throat." As there was no regular physician on the coast, nothing definite was known, except that not a single person so far attacked had recovered. Other peculiar features were that in many cases death ensued in 36 hours after the disease appeared, and rapid putrefaction set in the moment after life left the body. The population of Coachman's Cove is but little over 150, yet nearly half of that number have died since the first outbreak. The epidemic has also broken out in many other villages.

COL. PRIOR AT BISLEY.

(From the Canadian Gazette.)

Lieut.-Colonel Prior's "At Home," at the Canadian camp on Thursday of last week was an entire success. The company assembled was both brilliant and numerous. At one time and another there must have been no less than 300 present, and among them were to be seen such well-known Canadians as Sir Charles Tupper, Sir John and Lady Thompson and Miss Carling, the Hon. Senator W. J., Mrs. and the Misses Macdonald, of British Columbia; Mr. Sandford Fleming and Mr. Fleming, junior; Miss Ramsay Brown, of Ottawa; Mr., Mrs. and Miss Cawthra, of Toronto; Mrs. Tracy and Miss Dever, of St. John; Mr. James Johnson, editor of the Ottawa Citizen, and Mr. J. G. Colmer; while among others invited were Lord and Lady Knutsford, Sir William Whiteway, Premier of Newfoundland, Sir Donald A. Smith, Sir Casimir and Lady Gzowski, Mr. Dalton McCarthy, M.P., Mr. John Small, M.P. and Mrs. Small, Mr. R. N. Hall, Q.C., M.P. and Mrs. and Miss Hall, and a large number of others. The guests were hospitably entertained by Lieut.-Colonel Prior, while the charms of the Canadian camp were enlivened by the strains of the band of the Buffs. Indeed, the "At Home," like the whole of the proceedings in connection with the Canadian visit to the first Bisley gathering, was a thorough success, and in closing our record of the whole meeting we cannot refrain from acknowledging the genial courtesy which Lieut.-Colonel Prior, the commandant, Major Todd, the adjutant, and the individual members of the team have extended to all those with whom they were brought into contact. By their excellent shooting and general bearing they have made the first Bisley meeting to be associated with very pleasant recollections in the minds of all who took any part in it.

BUSINESS PREMISES.

Improvements in Their Construction and Appointment—What is Doing in Victoria

It has been many a time observed that the business premises of Victoria were, many of them, cramped in their dimensions, and in other ways ill-suited to the growing conditions of the business of the city and province. It is true there are some of considerable proportions; but their appearance scarcely serves as that advertisement of stability and enterprise that is expected to be given by important establishments. More buildings are wanted of the dimensions and accommodations, say, of the Bank of British Columbia, which, in addition to its admirable adaptability to the requirements of its own business, provides quarters for a number of business and professional men, who are in this way enabled to be within easy distance of the fountain heads of commerce and finance at a moderate rent. In the past, as many of the streets indicate, people have been well content so long as they had a roof over them; but under the existing system appearances count for a very great deal, and even the smallest traders or agents cannot now afford to have, as the old saying was, their office under their hat. It is very true that there is an immense demand for dwellings, that it is exceedingly hard to fill; but as the prosperity of the city advances it has become almost equally apparent that investments in business and office premises, eligibly situated, will make handsome returns and prove an additional attraction to the many advantages that are already here possessed.

Two buildings which, as they go up, are being much admired and appreciated, are those which are being reared at the corner of Douglas and View streets by Mr. J. Turner, and at the corner of Yates street and Commercial alley by Messrs. Lenz & Leiser, for their wholesale dry goods trade. When completed they will be among the highest erections in Victoria, rising to a height of three stories, with a basement. Both are of brick, faced with stone or granite, the first named being of pressed brick, which, it is needless to say, presents a very handsome look. The dimensions and description of Lenz & Leiser's property have already been published, and the premises, as far as completed, carry out every expectation. Mr. Turner's stores measure 60 by 120 feet, and will cost about $35,000. There will be about 50 rooms on the second and upper flats, all well laid out, which will be rented to smaller tenants, or divided to suit a larger occupant. The conditions of Victoria are such, as was remarked by one architect, that she must follow more in the steps of New York and Toronto and have buildings of three, four, or more storeys as may be deemed advisable. The experience of the Methodist Temple building on St. James street, Montreal, was specially dwelt upon. When the building was begun, the wiseacres said that it was going to be a source of annual expense rather than of financial benefit to the church. However, it was proceeded with and now has the pick of the tenants, while the same remarks apply to the stately edifice put up by the New York Life Insurance company on the same street where there are also other houses put to similar use."

The value of building lots, it is contended, is an additional reason why premises of two storeys or under should go out of fashion. Here the cost of the land is a very big item, but with stronger foundations four or five storeys might just as well be raised as those of two. Fitted with elevators and the best ventilating appliances, as they will be, the premises here referred to will be just as conveniently situated for carrying on business as those of a lower height can possibly be. This is the day of big buildings, the upper flats of which here as elsewhere can, unless otherwise disposed of, be rented out as sleeping rooms to that large number, who eschew boarding houses and occupy independent rooms, leaving them free to "browse around." The example set by the gentlemen referred to and others, if more generally followed, would be found to be in every way advantageous, and give to the business section of the city an appearance that will commend it more strongly than ever. At present it is Victoria's situation and residential property that specially commend themselves to the stranger, but the departure here spoken of will augment the many objects of interest that already exist.

Purses and fancy goods at Daley's.

TENDERS.

TO BUILDERS.

SEPARATE TENDERS ARE ASKED BY August 25th at 5 p. m. for building five Frame Stores on Douglas Street. Plans to be seen at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
CORNELIUS J. SOULE,
Architect.
au19-td

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 12 o'clock of Monday, the 25th inst., for the erection and completion of a residence to be built on the corner of Farquhar and Blanchard streets.

Plans and specifications can be seen at my office.

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THOMAS HOOPER,
Architect.
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C. J. BRENTON, M. A.,
Head Master.
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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES will please take notice that the receiver has been discharged by order of the court, and business is now being conducted as usual.

HIP LUNG & CO.,
Victoria, July 29, 1890. 22 Cormorant St.
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NOTICE.

ALL AMERICAN CITIZENS residing in British Columbia, can have two lots staked in the Government Reservation, Port Angeles, by forwarding $15.00 to the undersigned,

W. E. DEVEREUX,
Port Angeles.
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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on and after the 1st day of July next, the "Consolidated Thistle By-Law" will be enforced, and that the owner, lessee, tenant, occupier, or agent for the owner or lessee of any land on which thistles are found not cut down will be prosecuted.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Hall, June 30th, 1890. jly1-tf

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, pronounced on the 6th day of August, 1890, I have been appointed receiver of the partnership estate of G. C. Sauer & Co. All debts due to said partnership are payable to me, and all claims against the said estate must be presented to me.

B. GORDON.
August 7th, 1890 a8

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR. ALAN S. DUMBLETON, Solicitor of Supreme Courts of England and British Columbia, has been admitted a Partner in the firm of Messrs. Walker & Pemberton, Barristers and Solicitors. The firm will on and after the 1st day of July next be carried on under the name of Messrs. Walker, Pemberton & Dumbleton.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH Columbia. In the matter of "The Quieting Titles Act," and in the matter of the title of Herbert Ernest Hall and George Arthur Benjamin Hall to sections 1 (one) and 2 (two), range 6 (six), Chemainus District, in the Province of British Columbia. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an application was made to the Honorable Mr. Justice Drake, on the 11th day of June, instant, for a declaration of the title of the above mentioned Herbert Ernest Hall and George Arthur Benjamin Hall to the above mentioned lands, and it was thereupon declared by the said Judge that on payment by the said Herbert Ernest Hall and George Arthur Benjamin Hall to the legal representatives of the late Lucy Emily Hall, of the sum of $1,000.00 (one thousand dollars) and interest, bequeathed to her by the late Elizabeth Hall, the said Herbert Ernest Hall and George Arthur Benjamin Hall are entitled to an estate of inheritance in fee simple of and in the above mentioned lands as tenants in common, in equal shares, subject only to the reservations containtd in the 23rd section of the said Act, and to the taxes for the current year; and unless an objection is made within five weeks from the date of this advertisement, a declaration of title in accordance with the above act will be issued by the said Judge.—HARVEY COOMBE, Deputy Registrar.
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NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date we intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works of the Province of British Columbia for permission to purchase 6,700 acres of land in Westminster district:

Lot 1.—Commencing at post at high water on Bute Inlet marked "J. B. H. & Co.;" thence north 80 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence north 120 chains. thence west 200 chains, more or less, to a stake on the Homalko River; thence following said river bank to point of commencement; containing 4,400 acres, more or less.

Lot 2.—Commencing at a stake marked J. B. H. & Co.," on the shore of Bute Inlet, about 60 chains north of the mouth of Southgate River; thence east 120 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 100 chains; thence south 80 chains, more or less, to said Southgate River; thence following river bank to point of commencement; containing 1,600 acres, more or less.

Lot 3.—Commencing at a stake on south bank of the Southgate River; about 30 chains from high water; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north to river, and following said river to point of commencement; containing 300 acres, more or less.

Lot 4.—Commencing at the Indian Reserve post on the west bank of the Homalko River; thence west 40 chains; thence north 120 chains; thence east 40 chains, more or less, to river; thence following bank of river to point of commencement; containing 400 acres, more or less.

T. F. SINCLAIR.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the purchase of certain lands situate on De Horsey Island, Coast District, described as follows: commencing at a stake about 600 yards or thereabouts north-east from Parry Point; thence in a north-easterly direction following the shore line, and containing 160 acres more or less.

JNO. IRVING.
May 26th, 1890. my27

CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE business at 54 Yates street, known as Steitz Bros.' Restaurant and Bakery, has this day been sold to Mr C. C. Fox. It is requested that all bills owing the old firm will be promptly paid, and all outstanding accounts to 28th July will be paid on presentation by the undersigned. Thanking the public for their generous patronage in the past, we solicit a continuance of the same for our successor.

STEITZ BROS.
Victoria, 28 July, 1890.

In continuing the above business, I respectfully solicit a continuation of the patronage hitherto extended to Messrs. Steitz Bros., and shall endeavor to merit the same by keeping the business up to its present excellent standard, and by careful attention to the wants of my customers.

C. C. FOX.
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In the Matter of Bernard Goulding, deceased intestate,

—AND—

In the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia was made on the 29th inst. authorizing the undersigned to administer the personal estate of the late Bernard Goulding.

Therefore, all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send in particulars of the same, and all parties indebted thereto are requested to pay such indebtedness to the undersigned.

WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.
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In the Matter of JAMES WARD, Deceased.

—AND—

In the matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated the 12th day of August, 1890, it was ordered that I, William Monteith, should be administrator of all and singular, the goods, chattels and credits of James Ward, late of the City of Victoria, deceased.

And notice is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the said deceased, are hereby required to send to me, the undersigned, particulars, in writing, of said claims on or before the 12th day of October, 1890.

Dated Victoria, 12th August, 1890.
WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.
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NOTICE.

"Heroes of the Dark Continent"

IS NOT Stanley's book as unscrupulous agents have and are representing it in Victoria. It is a compilation of matter got up by conscienceless publishers to forestall the publication of his own book. If you have subscribed for that work as Stanley's you have been deceived into purchasing an unauthentic and unreliable book. His own book will bear the title "In Darkest Africa and the Quest, Rescue and Retreat of Emin, the Governor of Equatoria," by Henry M. Stanley, with 16 maps and about 150 illustrations, in two volumes, published by the Chas. Scribners Sons, and the Presbyterian News Co.

J. K. GILL & CO.,
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J. R. KER, Manager. my16

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A FEW UNDENIABLE FACTS:

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THE BEAR'S NEST MINE.

Last Chapter in the History of a Great Fraud—A Most Notorious Case of "Salting."

(Seattle Post-Intelligencer.)

Two well-known mining men, Mr. I. B. Hammond, of Chicago, and Mr. J. M. Calderwood, of Douglas Island, Alaska, go to Alaska this morning on the Elder. Mr. Hammond is a well-known contractor for mining plants, and has put in a good deal of machinery in the mines of the Black Hills. It will be remembered that when the cyndicate of English and German capitalists was formed to buy and operate the famous Bear's Nest mine on Douglas Island Mr. Hammond secured the contract for putting in the plant for the mine for $330,000. The work was well under way when it was discovered that the mine had been salted, and that it was useless to continue the erection of the machinery for the ore would not turn out fifty cents a ton. This was the most notorious case of salting that has ever been known in the history of mining, and it has made the Bear's Nest mine a by-word among mining men throughout the world. When it was found that the Bear's Nest ledge was worthless Mr. Hammond was ordered to stop work on the plant, for which $67,000 was then due him. Then came a fight over the payment of the contractor. The foreign capitalists who had lost so heavily in the enterprise, were averse to paying out more money, and the German contingent of the syndicate formed a combination to save themselves at Mr. Hammond's expense. But a compromise has finally been reached. Mr. Hammond and Mr. Calderwood are to go to Douglas island to-day, the property is to be sold, and Mr. Hammond to be allowed the amount of his lien on the property. Thus closes the history of one of the biggest mining frauds of this or any other time. Mr. Calderwood said that the Treadwell mine will probably buy part of the plant and the rest of it may go to some of the smaller mines in the region. He has been in the country some time, and he says that the only mine there that is doing much is the Treadwell. All the rest together are not putting out more than $15,000 a year. It is a curious fact that this Bear's Nest mine is separated from the Treadwell by only a narrow gulch, and the ledge is apparently of the same formation. The success of the Treadwell mine was a great help in exploiting the Bear's Nest. Three German experts who reported favorably on the latter were able to assay from $8 to $20 a ton, but that gold was all salt, for the stuff isn't worth sticking a pick into.

Mr. Calderwell is a Scotchman who has had experience in mining in all parts of the country. He goes to Mexico as soon as this Bear's Nest matter is settled up. He has seen all kinds of salting, from shooting silver shot into a wall or bank of earth, and skilfully scattering "float" on loose rock over the surface, to the more scientific ones of chloride of gold and silver; but the Bear's Nest job he describes as one of the most delicately managed affairs with which he had come into contact.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

To THE EDITOR:—The city fathers having decided upon a system of sewerage for Victoria, it may not be out of place to look into the matter a little and enquire what it should accomplish. Of course, no one requires to be told that all excrementatious matters decompose; they only follow the rule that presides over the fate of all organic matter—change and decay come to all such, man included. Whether the excrement be liquid or solid, it should not be permitted to pollute the air of this city, and the question arises will this proposed system of sewerage have the desired—and much-needed—result of freeing Victoria of an unpleasant superabundance of the products of decomposition? That depends altogether on how the system is carried out. Cesspools, boxes or other contrivances are in use by every family in Victoria. Will each owner of house property demolish the privy and put in its place a w. c. connecting with the sewers? If not, why make any change? We may just as well go on so at present and let the disease germs lurk in every back yard, and the cemetery be rapidly filled up.

There is only one radical method of treating this matter, and that is, to compel by law EVERY house owner to do as I have indicated. Do away with all privies, cesspools, and such like primitive and abominable means for the disposal of sewage, and let ALL the waste material go into the sea via Clover Point. To permit one portion of the town to retain the present beastly appliances for the storage of filth in our very midst would be a farcical "system" of sewerage indeed. There must be no choice left in the matter to the house owner: compulsory connection with the sewers is the ONLY plan to adopt.

Your remarks in to-day's issue relative to the storage of kitchen refuse at the rear of houses are admirable. Why should it be kept there from one week's end to anothe, attracting blow flies, creating offensive stenches and making one of the already too numerous causes for lowering the vitality of our people? Many small families could easily burn the kitchen scraps in their ranges. Surely that would be better than letting the stuff rot a few feet away from the living and sleeping apartments. In cases where this cremation is not possible, all garbage should be removed DAILY, and once and for all got rid of in a city crematory.

It is no use doing things by halves. Go in for the whole animal at once. Rid Victoria of these nuisances. See that the denizens of Chinatown are made to comply with the laws, and we will then be in a fair way of having what nature intended this city to be, the sanitarium of the Pacific coast.

F. C. S.

POSTAGE STAMPS.

The Sticky Stuff on the Back Is Clean and Harmless.

As soon as they emerge from the hydraulic press postage stamps are gummed. The paste is made from clear starch, or rather its dextrine, which is acted upon chemically and then boiled, forming a clear, smooth, slightly sweet mixture. Each sheet of stamps is taken separately, placed upon a flat board, and its edges covered with a light metal frame. Then the paste is smeared on with a wide whitewash brush and the sheet is laid between two wire racks and placed on a pile with others to dry. Great care is taken in the manufacture of this paste, which is perfectly harmless. This gratifying fact has been conclusively proved by an analysis recently made by an eminent chemist. After the gumming another pressing in the hydraulic press follows. Then another counting—in fact, stamps are counted no less than thirteen times during the process of manufacture. The sheets are then cut in half, each portion containing one hundred stamps, this being done by girls with ordinary hand shears. Next follows the perforation, which is performed by machinery. The perforations are first made in a perpendicular line and afterward in a horizontal line. Another pressing follows—this time to get rid of the raised edges on the back of the stamps made by the dies, and this ends the manufacture. A separate apartment is devoted to the picking and sending off the stamps to different post-offices. It will be seen by this account that any absurd rumor concerning the poisonous or unclean properties of postage stamps is utterly without foundation.

THE DIFFERENCE.

A School-Boy's Idea Concerning a Sheep's Heart and a Woman's Heart.

I was giving a lesson on the human heart, says a writer in Longman's Magazine and, as is my wont, in order to make my teaching as demonstrational and practical as possible, I procured for the lads' inspection the most approximate exemplification of the subject in hand. In this particular case I had sent round to the butcher's for a sheep's heart; and I permitted the members of the class to see, touch and handle it for themselves.

In the course of the lesson I asked the question:

"What is the difference, then, betwixt a sheep's heart and the heart of a man or woman?" As a matter of fact, I may be permitted to remind the reader, the two have a most remarkable similarity.

Among others, one poor, pale-looking lad put out his hand.

"Well, B.," I said, "what difference is suggested to you?"

"Why, sir," answered the boy, a glow of feeling rising to his cheek, "a sheep's heart is the softest; for you can bite a sheep's heart, but a woman's heart you break."

And then I remembered that poor little B.'s mother had died of a broken heart, the result of a husband's brutality and desertion.

Suddenly Prostrated.

GENTLEMEN,—I was suddenly prostrated while at work by a severe attack of cholera morbus. We sent at once for a doctor, but he seemed unable to help. An evacuation about every forty minutes was fast wearing me out, when we sent for a bottle of Wild Strawberry, which saved my life.
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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of "The Trustees' and Executors' Act," and in the matter of KATE CECELIA FINERTY and ANNA MARIA FINERTY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT BY order of Court I have been appointed Guardian of the persons and estates of the above-named infants in the place and stead of Patrick Houlahan, who has no longer any authority to deal with the estates and effects of the said Infants; and all persons are cautioned against interfering with the said estates, cattle, etc.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Guardian.
Victoria, Aug. 4th, 1890.

Provincial Royal Jubilee HOSPITAL.

DONATIONS OF BOOKS, old illustrated and other papers and periodicals will be thankfully received by the undersigned for the use of the patients.

H. M. YATES,
Secretary.
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W. S. FAIRALL,
A. NAPIER BARRY.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the purchase of certain lands situate on Skeena River, Coast District, described as follows: Commencing at a stake about 150 yards or thereabouts northeast from Powell Point, thence in a northeasterly direction following the shore line to a stake marked "A," and containing 160 acres, more or less.

J. A. LAIDLAW.
May 26th, 1890.

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157 acres timber and farming land on line of railway, with stream through property, in Oyster Bay District	1,000
4,000 acres of farming, coal and timber land, on Denman Island, at per acre,	15
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CHARLES F. MORRISON.
Rivers Inlet, June 15, 1890. je26-

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A SMALL GRIEVANCE.

The Times certainly does not despise the day of small things. Dealing with small things is what it delights in. It is in its element when it is endeavoring to make a mountain out of a molehill. It is no wonder, then, that it makes the refusal of the Government to pay a bill of five dollars the theme of a long denunciatory article.

As is well known, the Times has a lofty contempt for facts. If the facts do not agree with its statements, so much the worse for the facts. The education department is, of course, the object of our contemporary's attack. The bill was for a debt contracted by the city trustees. Our contemporary states that:

> "The trustees cannot, without the approval of John Robson, buy a piece of chalk or a bottle of ink for the schools. Every item of expenditure must be submitted to the Premier, who, with a scratch of his pen, disallows every account that does not meet his approval."

This is simply untrue. In the first place, the payment of school accounts is precisely the same now as it was many years ago. Mr. Robson did not establish that system. It was the politicians whom the Times admires and follows who established and put that system in operation, and we must say that it is by no means a bad one. One of its main objects is to prevent the misappropriation of the people's money.

In the next place, Mr. Robson does not see or hear of the school accounts except when, as in the instance under consideration, his attention is especially directed to one of them, and it was the School Trustees themselves who brought this one under his notice. The Times neglects to say that that account of the five dollars had been rejected by the Auditor, to whom all vouchers are submitted.

It is the especial business of that official to see that the moneys voted by the legislature are applied to the purposes intended. He did not think that the five dollars could properly be placed under the head of incidental expenses and he consequently declined to authorise the payment of the money. It is to be presumed that the Auditor who is a non-political official of considerable experience understands his business.

The Times very conveniently neglects to state that it was the Provincial Auditor who refused to authorize the payment of the little bill and that the application to the Premier by the Trustees themselves was an appeal from that official's decision. The Times if it is true to its principles must admit that, under ordinary circumstances, it is the Government's duty to abide by the Auditor's decision.

If the Auditor had passed the voucher submitted to him the Premier would never have heard of the five dollar account of the City Trustees. And this is the routine through which all the Trustees' bills pass when the Auditor is in the city. How then can the Times say that "every item of expenditure must be submitted to the Premier?" The assertion is altogether false.

The vouchers from the Board of City Trustees are treated in precisely the same way as the vouchers from every department, and every branch of every department. The government are responsible for the expenditure of every dollar of the revenue. If required they must lay before the Legislature vouchers for every item of expenditure, even the most trifling. The intelligent reader must see therefore that the government must keep a strict watch over the money expended, and set in operation every check provided by the law to prevent misappropriation of the public funds. If under the system of audit devised by the Liberal Government the City Trustees consider themselves ill used it is not for the organ of the Liberal party to become their champion. The Times knows now that the accounts of the City Trustees for incidental expenses are paid without any direct reference to the Premier, and that he does not see a single one of the items. In fact in the expenditure of $2,500 voted for incidental expenses the Trustees have had hitherto a free hand; so much so that there is hardly a year in which the expenditure does not exceed the vote.

Trustee Erskine, on what authority we do not know, said at the meeting, as reported in the Times:—

> "In districts where the people stood in with the Government the school trustees were supplied with money, while in some districts no money was supplied for sundries."

When that gentleman is better informed he will find that all the rural districts are treated alike by the Government. It was found by the present Government that the petty disbursements by the trustees of rural districts could not be conveniently made by vouchers for each item, so at the beginning of each financial year forty dollars are allowed each of them for incidental expenses. All are treated alike. It is absurdly untrue to say that the political complexion of any district is considered. A strict account is required of the way in which the allowance is expended. Detailed accounts are sent to the Superintendent of Education at the end of the year, and, if he finds that any of the money has been misapplied, the amount so misapplied is deducted from next year's allowance. So we see that trustees in city and country are treated exactly alike.

There are some who think that the Government has too much to do with the management of the public schools, but when it is considered that nearly the whole of the expenses of the schools is defrayed by the Government it will be seen that the management necessarily devolves upon the Government. The Government is responsible for the expenditure of the money, and those who bear the responsibility must have the management. The best way to become free from Governmental control is to raise the principal part of the money required for the establishment and maintenance of schools by local assessment. When that is done the municipal authorities will bear the greater part of the responsibility, and then they may justly claim a proportionate share in the management of the schools. At present, we think, that the grievance is more sentimental than real. The Government deals most liberally with the schools, and, if the system were changed, we have a notion that the pinch of the shoe would be a good deal harder to bear.

A SLIGHTED STATESMAN.

Bismarck is like a caged eagle. He is used to soar and he feels out of his element altogether when he cannot use his powers of mind. He wants a congenial occupation. Well-fed ease does not agree with him. He misses the excitement of public life. Sauntering through his fields and watching his flocks and herds thrive is no rest to him. He chafes and frets, and is wearing out faster in his country home, where he has little or nothing to do, than he did in the city with the cares and responsibilities of office occupying all his thoughts and the whole of his waking hours. His thoughts will run in the old channels and his hands itch to be at their old occupation. Tranquility appears to him to be torture. He wants to be up and doing. And he does, in spite of every restraint and every discouragement, find employment. He says:

> "It remains to me a duty not to be silent, but to express my opinion for the benefit of the multitudes at home and abroad who wish to hear it. I will not yield, even if I should stand quite alone. For a man like me it is his duty to express his opinion frankly, even in the highest quarters, and there even more than anywhere else. Though no longer in office, I have retained the right of every citizen to express his views on the affairs of the nation frankly. I cannot behave like a dumb dog. If, however, people are angry, I am accustomed to do what I think right."

It must be galling to this grand old man, after all that he has done for Germany, to be treated like one who lingers superfluous on the stage. It was only the other day that his lightest word was listened to with respect, and hundreds rushed to carry out his half-expressed wish. Now his opinion on affairs of state is not wanted, and when he expresses it unasked many who, in other days, flattered him and fawned upon him, scowl their disapprobation. It would, perhaps, be more dignified if Bismarck suffered in silence, if he would not allow his enemies to see that he feels the slights that are put upon him, and that he rages like a caged lion when he realizes that he is shut out, perhaps, forever from the field of action in which he performed so many great deeds. But Bismarck is not a stoic. He does not possess that kind of heroism which causes a man to bear torture without a groan. He suffers and he does not care who knows it. He is above pretending that he does not feel the wounds he has received. Do his frankness and his demonstrativeness detract from his greatness?

PERTINENT REMARKS.

One would think that the New York Herald knew all about the Wellington strike, and the resolution that was passed with regard to it at the meeting in this city, when it made the following remarks:—

> "Arbitration is a wise, sound principle. It has rarely been at fault. But we cannot discover what the leaders of the strike would arbitrate. It cannot be because the management have for 'good and sufficient reasons' discharged several workmen. There is no business on the globe that could exist if those in authority were not allowed to determine what were 'good and sufficient reasons,' and act upon the determination. For the Central to concede a right of revision or appeal to any labor organization would be to transfer the company to a mob. It would be a railway system governed by a mass meeting—chaos confounded in its worst sense."

The proper changes being made one of the above sentences applies to the situation in Wellington as well as if it were written expressly for the edification of those who take an interest in it. Here it is: "For the Wellington mine owners to concede a right of revision or appeal to any labor organization would be to transfer the company to a mob. It would be a mining system governed by a mass meeting—chaos confounded in its worst sense." We fear that our Victoria contemporary will condemn the ideas of the New York Herald as being "old and exploded." It believes that the owners of mines and railways and factories should keep the management of them in their own hands.

THE TRAINING OF A SURGEON.

Mr. Lawson Tait, formerly of Edinburgh, but now of Birmingham, has just delivered an extremely interesting address on the training of a surgeon. As was stated in our columns lately, it was Mr. Tait who performed an operation on Dr. McSwain, late of Victoria, so successfully that he is well and hearty again. Mr. Tait is a comparatively young man, but his fame is as wide and his income as large as those of any surgeon in Europe. When quite a youth he was largely employed to perform the most dangerous of operations by leading medical men—operations for which his confreres had sometimes not the necessary nerve.

Dr. McSwain says of Mr. Tait that he has apparently ten fingers on his right hand, and that his manual dexterity is wonderful, for he holds a lancet, a sponge and a pair of forceps and can use all three of them, with one hand. As showing how one's profession tinctures one's ideas, a story is told of Mr. Tait. When he was much younger, and was busy hacking and cutting his fellow men, a friendly discussion took place on politics. Mr. Tait particularly disliked a prominent politician and he finished up his denunciation of him by saying "Now look here I would'nt, no I would'nt stick a knife in that man to save his life!"

The great surgeon is an eminently practical man, as is shown by the following extract from his admirable speech:

> "In the old days it was charged against the corporations that they turned out a large number of ill-educated empirical practitioners who knew nothing but their patients. Now the tendency was to turn out a still larger number of scientific young tyros who knew neither patients nor their diseases till they had gone through a second pupilage extending for years after they had left their university. This second pupilage lay in the rough school of experience, and in its second training they would be found deliberately and at once to throw overboard at least two-thirds of what they had learned in the first. What the boy wanted, after his general education had been fully developed, and his fundamental knowledge of useful anatomical facts and physiological principles had been made perfect, was that he should be dealt with as they dealt with the cutter of blanks in the button manufactory. He should be put at once into contact with his material. He therefore voted cordially with those who demanded the restoration of the apprenticeship system in such fashion as modern requirements indicated. It should be a period of at least two years spent in learning how to deal with patients, how to divine their peculiarities, and learn how to avoid making an ass of himself in the sick-room as the modern, newly-fledged, qualified assistant is certain to do for the first few years of his second pupilage, in spite of his biological lore. A training in practical mechanics, he contended, was at least as necessary for a man who has to operate upon his fellow human beings as is a training in anatomy."

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All persons having any claims against the said Chester Lee Terry are required to send particulars of their claims to the said trustees on or before 14th day of September next. All persons indebted to him are requested to pay to the said trustees the amount of their indebtedness forthwith.

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A Valuable Train Load.

The train that left Vancouver on Tuesday for the East was one of the most valuable that has rolled in that direction for some time. There were five cars of barreled sealskins, valued at $100,000, besides a great deal of other valuable merchandise, including a car load of canned salmon. The sealskins were from Victoria.

New Buildings.

Mr. Robert Grant is busy personally supervising the erection of two cottages and two houses on Bellot street, near Cook. Due attention is being paid to the foundations, which the owner is bound to make solid and substantial. Mr. Dougall's mansion, close by, is rapidly attaining substantial propertions, and, when finished, will be an ornament to the city.

"A Thing of Beauty, &c."

A nice fire-place in a house adds much to the appearance of a room, and besides being a "joy for ever," aids a person much in selling a house, if it is desirable to do so. Every one who is building should see the finely finished American and English grates, mantles and tiles at McLennan & McFeeley's 70 Yates street.

City Hall Alterations.

The city hall addition will soon be ready for occupation, and will be taken possession of by the city surveyor and staff and the city treasurer, both of whom will, with their staffs, be located on the entrance floor. The second storey will be furnished as a library, in addition to which will be the various committee rooms. Mr. Dowler and the mayor will retain their old quarters.

Captain Carroll's Candidacy.

A gentleman who recently came down from Alaska says that Captain Carroll, of the steamship Queen, of the Pacific C. SS. Co., is prominently spoken of as a candidate for the office of delegate at large to Congress from Juneau, Alaska. There is considerable feeling over the matter, it being the general opinion in the north that an old resident should be selected for the position.—Seattle Times.

Over Ten Millions.

At the city council's last meeting, Mr. Northcott, city assessor, submitted a statement of the assessed value of Victoria property at $9,372,094 for the present year, as against $8,948,903 for 1889. The exemptions last year for church and city property reached $894,000, but this year they will reach about $849,000, as some property that was free last year becomes assessable this year, so that the total valuation, approximately will reach $10,212,094.

Sandbagged at Seattle.

H. Hass, a waiter employed on the steamer George W. Elder, was found in a dying condition at 5:45 Wednesday morning at the end of the Ocean dock at Seattle. He was lying on his back gasping for breath, with his eyes set in a glassy stare and in an unconscious condition. It was found that he had been sandbagged and robbed. He was taken to the hospital where he died a few hours after being admitted. Nothing has been seen or heard of his assailants.

Not "Bust" After All.

The Street committee had a little shot in the locker when they threw up the sponge, a week ago, although to judge by the saddened countenances of the aldermen a stranger would have thought that the Street committee purse was burst. It now begins to leak out that provision was made for a rainy day in the shape of laying aside sundry sums for sundry improvements, repairs and other contingencies. Johnson street sidewalk, between Broad and Government streets on the north side, was one of these. The foot path there was, as it is in very many places in the city, in a deplorable as well as a dangerous state of rottenness and ricketiness. It was being renewed yesterday by fine looking lumber. Perhaps funds will be found for the other places.

Sister Mary Providence.

Her many friends and former patients will have been sorry to hear that the esteemed Superioress of St. Joseph's hospital has recently been the object of a serious paralytic attack, by which her life was endangered. They will be glad, however, to learn that her condition has very much improved and it is expected that ere long she will be, in a measure, restored to health. The reverend Sister has, by her delicate courtesy, geniality and careful attention to those who had been temporarily entrusted to her care, earned the heartfelt esteem of hundreds, whose opinions in regard to hospitals underwent a radical change, after having been inmates of the institution over which the Sister has so happily and so successfully presided.

Which Way Out, Please?

The Sanitary committee is in a fix. The reason is soon found. Anyone visiting the Chinese ranches now will find a chain and lock on all the gates, or else they will be fastened in some sure way against the entrance of vehicles. It seems that, since the loss of the "sanitary" wharf and the mandate of the Federal government that the garbage should not be dumped in the sea, the Chinamen have been receiving it. Now, however, they have room for no more, and refuse to receive any more. What the scavengers are to do is not known, and the Sanitary committee is powerless to advise them as to the disposal of the refuse. The proposition to establish crematories for destroying the garbage and refuse has received no acknowledgment from the Federal authorities, although repeated applications, both by letter and telegram, have been made to Ottawa. Yesterday, a further and more urgent telegram was dispatched to the Capital, but up to the evening no reply had been received. Meantime, the Sanitary committee is in a quandary.

Trades Assembly Notes.

The Trades Assembly will meet this evening and discuss the various questions of interest to the association. It is understood that the chief topic this evening will be the matter of holding a provincial convention, whose object will be to treat with the eight hour movement, and consider the best means to adopt in order to attain that desirable end. There is also every likelihood that the situation at Wellington will be discussed this evening and a resolution bearing thereon passed. There is at present no definiteness as to the date of the provincial convention, but it is expected to come off about the middle of September. The programme will include the debating of the eight hour movement, the Chinese question, which is a strong plank in the platform of the assembly; and what the future course of organized labor in this province will be. This conference will be one of the largest and most representative conventions ever held in this province. Organized labor societies in British Columbia now represent a numerical strength of between 6,000 and 7,000, and organization is making strong and steady progress.

Operations Commenced.

The excavations for the proposed new building of the Dominion hotel are completed and things nearly in readiness for the commencement of building operations. It will mark the beginning of a different class of building on that portion of Yates street. A building of three storeys and a 50 feet frontage will look well just in that spot.

Obituary.

Mrs. Hannah Wonnacott, a resident of Victoria since '58, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Marsden, on Chatham street, at 8:30 o'clock last evening. The deceased lady was a native of Wales, and was aged 62 years. She leaves five children to mourn her loss. Death resulted from cancer, the deceased having been a sufferer for several years.

Old Timers.

Yesterday afternoon a number of old residents were observed discussing their relative claims to the title of "old timers." Said one, "I was here in 1858 at the time of the rush for Cariboo." "But," added another, "I was here when the Hudson Bay company did all the business there was to be done here." A third added, "I was on H.M.S. President when we went to fight the Russians at Petropaulovski, and when the admiral commanding is supposed to have committed suicide." The man whose "pedigree" dated back to Cariboo only was ruled out, but no decision was arrived at with respect to the claims of the other two.

Musical Entertainments.

For several evenings the guests at the Driard and a number of citizens have been highly delighted with the musical entertainment that has been afforded them by two musicians formerly connected with the celebrated Spanish students. Their instruments were stringed, of the same class as the guitar and mandolin, and the music which they have evoked has been such as to thoroughly "enthuse" all who heard it. This evening they will perform in the Y.M.C.A. rooms for the benefit of the Ladies' Auxiliary, and it need hardly be said that they and the object they propose to aid should be well patronized.

More Chinese Arrivals.

The tax collected upon fifteen Chinese from San Francisco on the last trip of the ss. Umatilla was $750. They all hailed from Hong Kong, and were bound to San Francisco, where they arrived by ss. City of Peking, but not being allowed to land they came on here. As Collector Milne pointed out to Captain Calvary on the arrival of that ship, he had landed at Victoria the full complement of Chinese passengers allowed by law. Mr. Milne was specially emphatic on the point at that time, but as it was shown on their return that the men had originally intended to reach San Francisco they were allowed to enter on payment of the fine. How they will finally dispose of themselves remains to be seen.

Royal Jubilee Hospital.

The concert on Tuesday evening next, at the Victoria theatre, for the benefit of the Royal Jubilee hospital, promises to be a well patronized, and, at the same time, a very grand affair. It is given under the special patronage of Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nelson, as well as of Rear Admiral **Hotham, C.B.**, and the officers of H. M. Fleet. It will be under the direction of Miss Sophie Chambers, who will be assisted by a number of the most talented amateurs of the city and the full orchestra of the flagship on the North Pacific station. The programme is such an admirable one, the performers are so well esteemed, and the hospital is so highly appreciated, that the highest expectations of the promoters should be more than realized.

Seeking Market Information.

The Market committee have been taking steps to procure information that shall be useful to them when some definite action is taken with respect to the establishment of a city market in Victoria. The city clerk has written to several cities in Canada and the States requesting particulars as to the market systems. The reply from San Francisco, it will be remembered, was read at the last council meeting. It stated simply that the markets there were owned by private individuals, or companies, and that the system was found to work well. Of course it would be found necessary to limit the number of public markets, and so restrain individuals from rushing into speculative ventures. A reply has been received from Ottawa stating that the markets there of which there are four large ones, are owned and controlled by the city. The stalls in these markets are leased annually to vendors of goods and the rental brings the city a revenue of $8,000 or $9,000 annually, which more than pays for the administration of the system which is found to give general satisfaction. No complaints are ever received from citizens or stall keepers. Montreal's markets are numerous and large. The Bonsecours market is a landmark of Montreal's history and has been spoken of and written about by almost every visitor to the city. Here the markets are also under civic administration: and beyond the local frictions that are certain to occur in all populous centres, no complaint is heard. As a system it is bound to work well and profitably to the city. Hamilton, Guelph and Toronto have yet to be heard from.

The Police Court Drama.

The female element figured largely in the Police court drama yesterday morning. They were altogether Indian, and contributed (the evening previous) several songs and dances in the original native tongue and style. They were particularly effective in the "drunken scene," in which, at a certain juncture and with splendid effect, the police force entered and the tableau followed. Of course the popular feeling rose to a high pitch of excitement at this, and in the midst of the demonstration the lady participants withdrew, accompanied by the police officers. The curtain didn't rise again till the following morning, when the scene was laid in the police court. The act was dull and uninteresting, despite the introduction of a white man, who had been rehearsing the same play by himself. There was no spirit (except a bottle of whiskey on Mr. Dowler's desk) in the performance, and after one of the ladies had paid seven dollars, and the other had deposited $52 as the price of the whiskey in question, they hied them homeward meditating on the wickednesses of this terrestrial sphere. The court drew on the white gentlemen's bank at sight for five dollars, and the draft was promptly honored.

The scene changed and two figures stood before the audience. They were John Oliver an Indian, who charged the other, Frank Wilson, with having appropriated his watch. After some wrangling, in which the chief's linguistic accomplishments were again brought into play, the further discussion of the question was postponed till this morning for the purpose of obtaining more convincing evidence of Wilson's guilt or innocence.

For Safe Keeping.

One of the occupants of the police station cells yesterday was an old man who was taken in as being of unsound mind. He had been found in one of the city hotels brandishing a revolver about his head, and both behaving and talking in the strangest possible manner. In the police station he had no chance of flourishing a pistol, but he bears evidence of not being in his right mind. Dr. Milne visited him yesterday, but he was of opinion that a day or two's quiet would do a great deal towards bringing the disturbed mind back into the proper channel.

Is the War Over?

A dispatch was received by Messrs. Rithet & Co., yesterday, from the Pacific Mail Steamship company advising them that steamship City of Pekin had left San Francisco direct for Yokohama, but that the "Rio de Janeiro" would leave Yokohama on the 22nd inst., (to-day), with a large list of Chinese passengers for this port. Up to the present, Messrs. Rithet & Co., who have been acting as the local agents of the Pacific Mail, have received no official notification of the definite withdrawal of that company's boats.

Little Things Develop Greater.

A case came up in the police court, yesterday morning, which promised some interesting developments. A young fellow named H. G. Van Valen, late of Tacoma, came here recently and fell in with an acquaintance, to whom he showed a cheque on the National Bank of Commerce, Tacoma, made out in his (Van Valen's) name. The amount was small, about $26. He asked the friend to identify him at a bank, as he wanted some money immediately and couldn't wait to send to Tacoma. The friend was not known to any banking house here, but he introduced Van Valen to Mr. Whittaker, upon whose endorsement the cheque was cashed at Garesche, Green & Co.'s house. This was on the 6th of the present month. The cheque was duly forwarded to the National Bank of Commerce at Tacoma, but it was received there as so much blank paper, and Mr. Whittaker found his name on a worthless cheque. The friend of Van Valen, however, made good the amount and brought the present action. Of course he had no grounds to proceed on as the cheque bore Mr. Whittaker's signature and it was that gentleman's right to prosecute. The young man had made the recommendation on the strength of having known Van Valen in Tacoma where he was engaged in the bank on which the cheque was drawn.

The case was remanded till to-day so that the information may be properly laid, but it is doubtful if the case will be heard as a Tacoma police officer came over last evening looking for Van Valen who is said to have committed two forgeries in Tacoma, for which misdeeds he is wanted.

LITTLE LOCALS.

The Islander last evening brought in four cars freight, two of nails, one of stoves, and one of mixed freight.

Some very fine antique oak bedroom suites' sideboards, etc., at John Weiler's. *

Unique music cabinets, ladies' secretaries, tea tables, shaving stands, etc., at John Weiler's. *

Thomas Healy, of extended police fame, regained his liberty yesterday and made his presence known to several acquaintances who are not friends.

Razors in cases, ladies companions, a new line of pocket cutlery and shaving materials, just arrived, at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

The wrecked sealing schooner, Mary Ellen, whose crew and cargo were saved, had on board between 900 and 1000 skins, all of which have been saved.

Fruit jars, jelly jars, and jelly presses, for sale at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street. *

Additional advances from the country emphasize what has been said as to the abundance of the crops on the island, what have so far been gathered is in excellent condition.

Tea and Dinner Sets, Chamber Sets, and other goods just opened at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas Street.

Artistic novelties in bamboo furniture, just received by John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street. *

No less than ten persons are summoned to appear in the police court to-morrow morning for the purpose of answering charges of having driven over Rock Bay bridge at a pace faster than the regulation walk.

Do not mop the floor with your better half when you can buy a self-wringing mop at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas Street. *

Another carload of stoves at Geo. Powell & Co.'s, Cheapside.

The Rithet brought over from Westminster yesterday three carloads of prime beef cattle from the interior. The animals are all splendid specimens of British Columbia beeves. They come consigned to R. Porter & Sons.

The C. P. R. are selling excursion tickets to Banff and return at $30. These tickets are limited to 60 days and allow passengers the privilege of stopping off at Harrison Hot Springs, Glacier and Field. A. Cameron, agent

James Brady, mining engineer, will visit East and West Kootenay, including Illecillewaet, the mining camps on the Upper Columbia river and lakes, also Nelson, Hot Springs and other camps on Kootenay Lake, about the end of this month. Parties requiring reports on mineral or other properties in the above districts, ring up or call at 45 Government Street, Victoria, B. B.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. J. W. Taylor and child are visiting in San Francisco.

R. P. Rithet and children returned from Westminster yesterday.

F. W. Carleton and wife, of Vancouver, arrived over last night.

Mayor Oppenheimer, of Vancouver, and C. D. Rand came over by the Islander last night.

Mrs. Hamilton, Miss Boddington of Winnipeg and Miss Woodman of England are at "Roccabella."

Mrs. E. and Miss Sadie Savannah will be passengers by the Walla Walla to-day for San Francisco.

Father Althoff left for Holland on Wednesday to visit relatives there. He will be absent for a couple of months.

Dr. Crompton leaves this morning for Halifax by the Islander and C.P.R. He will return at the end of September.

W. S. Stout, general manager of the Dominion Express Co. of Toronto, accompanied by Goodwin Ford, Western manager, Winnipeg, are at the Driard.

The Premier yesterday received a telegram from his son, who is at the Vendome, San Jose, Cal., to the effect that he was well after his trip and the weather was pleasant. Mrs. Robson accompanied him, both taking advantage of Dr. McSwain's presence on last Sunday's boat to travel to California, where it is expected the change will greatly benefit Mr. Fred. Robson's health.

Tourist guides at Daley's.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

FOOTBALL.

The first annual meeting of the Victoria Football club will be held in Mr. Pemberton's office this evening, for the purpose of transacting general business in connection with the club.

CRICKET.

As the Mainlands have again disappointed the Victoria Cricket club for a match, arrangements are being made to play an all day match with the navy at Beacon Hill on Saturday. It should be a very interesting game, as the navy can put a good eleven in the field, and Victoria has been looking up lately. It seems an impossibility for a mainland match to be arranged this season, which is to be regretted.

The match between Mr. Sinclair's and Dr. Helmcken's elevens has advanced a further stage. Dr. Helmcken's eleven made 52 runs in the first innings, and on going in again Mr. Sinclair's team made 51 for eight wickets. Messrs. Pooley and Foster bowled in fine form, the lattering getting six wickets and knocking out Hudson with the first ball. The game will be continued from four to seven o'clock this evening.

LACROSSE.

The secretary of the Victoria lacrosse club has received an intimation from the Mainland Caledonian and St. Andrew's Society of New Westminster that they intend offering for competition, at their next annual gathering, which takes place Friday and Saturday next at Westminster, a handsome challenge cup and medals, at lacrosse, and extend an invitation to the Victoria club to participate. The question of sending a team will be considered at a general meeting of the club to be held to-morrow evening in the parlors of Hall & Lowe, Government street.

At a meeting of the Vancouver Lacrosse Club on Wednesday evening, the question of the trip to Winnipeg to meet the Toronto team was discussed, and it was decided to telegraph to Calgary and make arrangements to play at that place a picked team of the Lethbridge and Calgary clubs. It was also decided to arrange for a match at Brandon with the club of that city and at Winnipeg for three matches—one with the Winnipeg team, one with the Toronto team and one with the 90th Club. Negotiations are now under way with the Canadian Pacific Railway company for a special car and special rates. The team which will be sent to Winnipeg will be a provincial one picked from the clubs of the three cities—Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster.

BASEBALL.

The second game of the series between the Unions and the Nationals will be played at Beacon Hill to-morrow afternoon, commencing at 2:30 o'clock. Both clubs play good ball, and the game is expected to be an interesting one.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—Boston 8, Cleveland 0.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 21.—Philadelphia 7, Pittsburg 4.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—New York 3, Cincinnati 5.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 21.—Chicago 0, Brooklyn 4.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—Boston 10, Buffalo 1.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 21.—Philadelphia 8, Chicago 7.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—New York 13, Cleveland 1.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 21.—Brooklyn 4, Pittsburg 1.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

COLUMBUS, Aug. 21.—Columbus 12, Brooklyn 4.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 21.—Louisville 2, Athletic 1.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 21.—First game—St. Louis 7, Rochester 13. Second game—St. Louis 3, Rochester 8.

HERE AND THERE.

Geo. La Blanche, "the Marine," is visiting Seattle.

Quinn and the Jap have another "fake" wrestling match on, this time at Helena, Montana. Of course the match is for $500 a side, and of course "there is bad blood between the two men and a hard contest is expected."

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DIAMONDS ON DISPLAY.

Washington Ladies Wear Them on All Occasions.

The Blue-White Brilliant Is the Most Fashionable Gem at the Present Time—Extravagance in Hair Ornaments and Necklaces.

Three fifths of the diamonds of the United States are owned by New York and Washington leaders of society, says the Washington Post. Diamonds are worth more to-day than they have been in a long while. In the past four months the finer qualities have advanced nearly twenty-five per cent., owing to the manipulations of a London trust, which governs the African and India mines.

American women wear their diamonds at certain social gatherings and the opera with less fear perhaps than the ladies of any other nationality. There is always something about an American-born woman showing her free and fearless-going way in life, which is remarkably noticeable, and particularly when seen in any other country. Leading Washington society women go about covered with diamonds and other precious gems. The fashion in diamonds is constantly changing. The taste of Americans is becoming highly educated upon precious gems, and their purchases embrace the finest that the market affords. In the wonderful collection of diamonds and other precious gems of Mrs. Leland Stanford, Mrs. Senator Hearst, Mrs. Morton, wife of Vice-President Morton, and Mrs. Jones, of Nevada, it is observed that the time has arrived when large pieces or designs are in vogue.

Wearing diamonds is an art. At present it is considered perfectly proper and correct to surround the neck with one or more necklaces of diamonds or several strings of pearls with one handsome diamond necklace, from which there should be a pendant. The center stone of this pendant should be a gem of any other color or nature, either a ruby, emerald, sapphire, black pearl or a canary diamond of unquestionable color, encircled or ornamentally surrounded by blue-white brilliants.

The latter is a stone which is growing very fashionable, and any private collection without this beautiful diamond is not up to date. The decoration of the wrist should consist of a bracelet with a center stone surrounded by smaller diamonds. On the left wrist a collection of bracelets is in order, to entirely surround the wrist or only half way, and consisting of diamonds, rubies, emeralds and sapphires. Care should always be taken that the bracelets are mounted so that they lay close to each other to form a small cuff.

It is the correct thing at large dinners or other state occasions to wear as many rings as a lady may feel inclined to, or her parure of jewels will permit, on both hands. There was an idea that the thumb ring would become fashionable, but that seems to have passed. Hair ornaments are becoming more extravagant in their designs all the time, as it is one of the most conspicuous places to display a handsome star or sunburst, or a grand and imposing tiara of diamonds.

A very beautiful effect is produced by wearing a number of small brooches around the edge of a decollete. Leaders of fashion in the precious gems should always bear in mind to wear stones that harmonize in color with their style of dress. A lady wearing white or black has the advantage over those wearing bright and fancy colors, as her jewels need not consist entirely of one kind.

Cutting diamonds is one thing in which this country is ahead of any other nation. It has been made a close study and without doubt is an art. There is more beauty and brilliancy obtained from the American cut diamond than the diamond which is cut in Holland and has what is called the "old Dutch cut," and usually is found to be of a somewhat square shape, rather irregular and many small fascets. Americans cut them perfectly round and with only sixty-four fascets to the table.

A great many heavy purchasers of diamonds and the general public labor under the impression that diamonds are purchased cheaper in London or Paris than here. This is not the case, the greatest and the cheapest diamond market of the world to-day being New York City.

The finest diamonds and the largest collections are owned by the different courts of Europe, and many of these stones are of such enormous size that they can not be displayed to any advantage upon the person of a handsome woman. There is no particular beauty connected with them, and what makes them so prominent is their overestimated value and size.

AN EDITOR'S MEMORY.

How Mr. McCullagh Identified a Man He Had Seen But Once.

The fortunes of war are strange. One day in the Southern Hotel at St. Louis, a few months ago, J. B. McCullagh, the editor of the Globe-Democrat, was sitting reading a newspaper when a gentleman walked up and, extending his hand, said:

"How do you do, Mr. McCullagh?"

The editor put out his hand and said: "How do you do, sir?"

"You don't seem to know me," the stranger remarked.

"Oh, yes, I do," said Mr. McCullagh.

"Well, who am I?" inquired the stranger.

"I'll answer you in this way," said Mr. McCullagh. "The last time I saw you was in 1863, in the pilot-house of the gun-boat (naming it) in the river before Fort Donelson. There were three of us in the pilot-house—you, myself and the pilot—when a shell struck us, carrying away the pilot house, and killing one man and wounding another. I was unhurt. Now, if it was Morrison who was killed by that shell, your name is Reilly; and if it was Reilly who was killed, you are Morrison. I remember your voice perfectly, but I can not recall your name."

Mr. McCullagh was right. The man who stood before him was Reilly, the pilot, who was not killed.

JACK FROST'S LIFE.

A Bright School-Boy's Interesting and Amusing Composition.

When we speak of Jack Frost we generally speak of him as a mischievous young scamp. We never stop to think of his age, but he is many years old. He was probably born about the time the earth was planted with trees. He was born in an ice palace, which was very beautiful. His father, John Frost, had been king of the north and south poles for about two years. He was at the south pole when Jack was born.

John was stopping a mutiny of the Wind and Snow, who were his chief officers. King John Frost was a very wise king, and he never played the pranks on mortals that Jack did. John died when Jack was sixteen years old. As soon as the news reached the south pole that John was dead Wind and Snow set up a man by the name of Hail as the real king of the south pole. When Jack, who was now king of the poles, heard of it he got all his barons and knights and had his armorer make 50,000 suits of armor of the best kind of ice. Each man had an ice chariot and two dragons. They harnessed the dragons to the chariots and started. On the way to the south pole Jack stopped at the temperate zone and painted every window with the most beautiful designs. Then he hurried to join his army, which was way ahead. He did not wait to see where he was stepping, but went right along. He stepped in flower beds, in gardens, and you could not help but see that he had been along. He caught up with his army when it was in the middle of a temperate zone. As soon as they got to within one hundred miles of the torrid zone they mounted their chariots and made the dragons go as fast as they could. They did not go out of their chariots until they came to the boundaries of the south polar kingdom, and then they left their dragons and chariots and went on foot. They met Hail coming with an army, and had a great battle. Jack defeated Hail and took him prisoner. He sent his archer, the Snow, and his crossbowmen, the Winds, to search for the men who had escaped. They took 3,000 prisoners and killed 2,000. Jack set his kingdom up again and put one of his father's counsellors at the head. He then went home. He goes from his northern kingdom in the spring to his southern, and goes back to his northern kingdom in the fall.

He likes to plague mortals and spoil their flowers. Some of his men went through town this morning and more are coming.

SAMBO ON DUTY.

He Had Both Eyes on the Crowd and Kept Things in Order.

There is only one man in the South more envied than the colored fireman on a locomotive, and he, says the New York Sun, is the colored policeman. He is fully cognizant of this fact and governs himself accordingly. One "court day" in an Alabama town seven or eight dusky citizens stood staring at an officer who had just got into his uniform for the first time that day. He passed and repassed them several times without a look, although his own father and several old friends were among them. His desire to hear what they had to say finally led him to stop and demand:

"What yo' all doin' yere?"

"Lookin'," replied one of the crowd.

"What yo' all lookin' at?"

"Lookin' at yo'."

"What about me?"

"Yo' is as fine as silk. Hu! But wouldn't I dun like to be in yo' place!"

"Yo' nebber kin git up dis high, James Johnson," answered the officer.

"But your fadder kin."

"No; he can't."

"Can't yo', Misser Blivens?" appealed the young man.

"'Reckon I mought if I was younger," answered the father, who was old and bow-legged and bow-backed.

"You will dun cum 'long wid me!" said the son as he collared him.

"Whoa! What fur yo' 'rest me, Bill?"

"Fur stealin'."

"But I hain't dun stole nuffin'!"

"Yes yo' hev! Six y'ars ago yo' an' me an' Jim stole dat ar' white hog from Marsa Ben Jackson an' cut him up in de woods, an' Ize had my eye on you eber since yisterday. Now, den, kin yo' be a policeman in dis town?"

"No, Bill—no!"

"Kin Julius, or James Johnson?"

"No—no!"

"Kin any of de rest of dis crowd?"

"No—no!"

"Den I'll let you go, but be mighty keerful in de fucher. Ize got boaf eyes on dis crowd, an' Ize gwine to come down wid an awful smash when I jump. De United Staits didn't dun make no mistake when dey called on me to help uphold de constitushun. Yo' niggers stand back and keep dis sidewalk cl'ar or I'll make dese streets swim with blood!"

Lilith Adam's First Wife.

According to the Jewish Talmud, Lilith, the mother of demons, was taken to wife by our first parent, Adam, prior to the appearance of Eve upon the scene. Being the legendary mother of evil spirits, one would naturally accept the story as a fact when told that she became unmanageable and tried to supersede Adam as lord of all creation. Thwarted in this, she took to the regions of the air, where, as a specter in the guise of a beautiful woman, she lies in wait for and pounces upon defenseless children. Some ignorant European Jews still believe that the beautiful murderess inhabits the air, waiting for a chance to murder their little ones. It is said that the word "lullaby" is a corruption of the words "Lilla, abi," or "Begone, Lilith," words used as a charm by superstitious mothers of legendary times.

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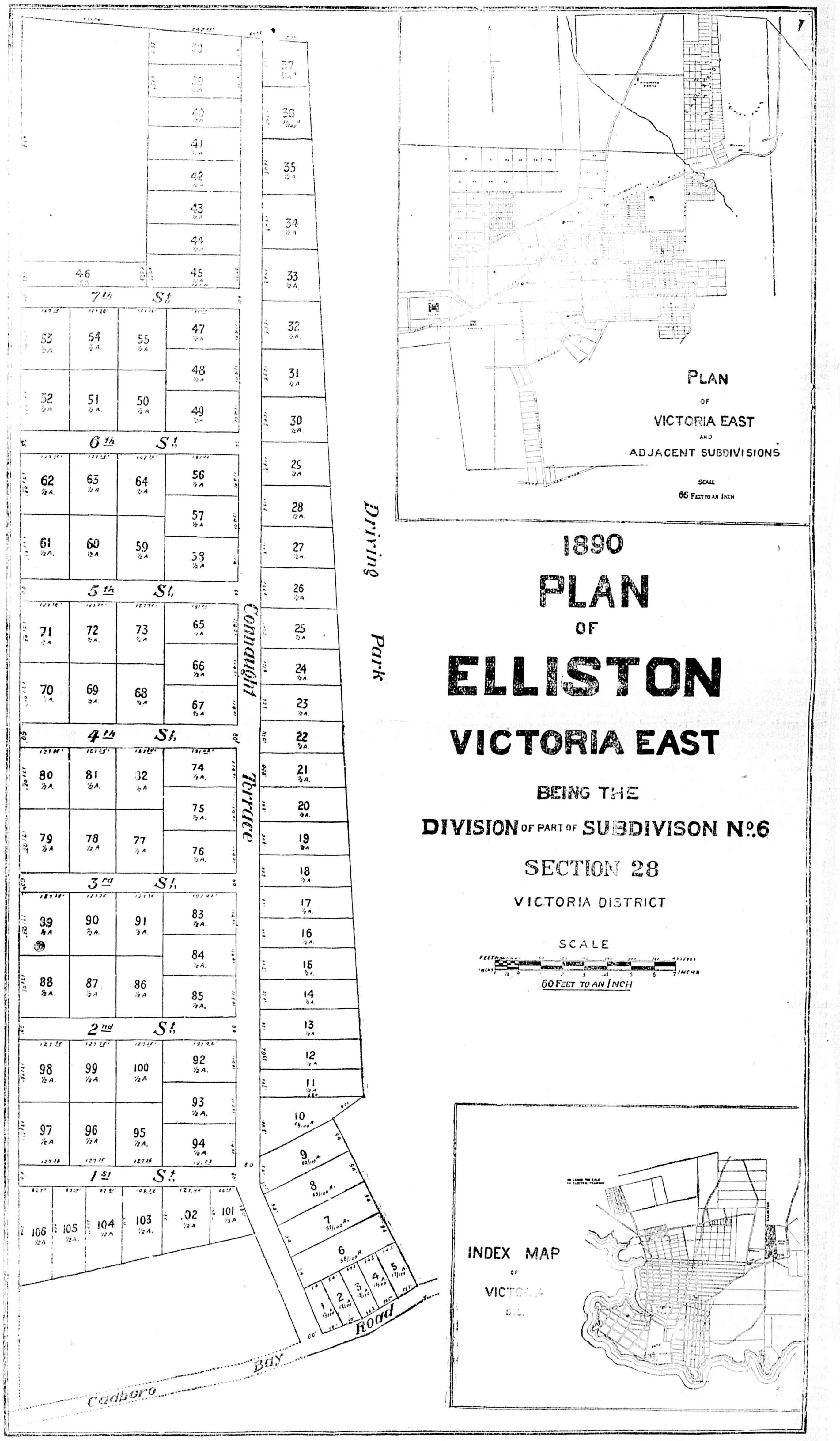

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CENTRAL AMERICA.

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LA LIBERTAD, Aug. 20.—Through the efforts of Costa Rica and Nicaragua, Senor Segarous and General Alfaro, representing the Salvadorian and Guatemalan governments respectively, are on their way toward signing a treaty of peace.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 20.—A Salvadorian dispatch says: General Ezeta, to-day, received the peace protocol, which was submitted to the cabinet and approved on most of the points. General Ezeta will send to Guatemala a commissioner duly authorized to sign the peace agreement arranged by the diplomatic corps, and, it is believed, that everything will be settled satisfactorily on Friday or Saturday.

WASHINGTON CITY, Aug. 20.—The state department received a letter from Minister Mizner, to-day, saying that the good offices and mediation of the United States had been accepted by both Guatemala and Salvador, and that the basis of a peace will be presented to-night.

GUATEMALA, Aug. 20.—Senor Cottu, the agent who has been arranging for a $21,000,000 loan with French bankers, has arrived here, and it is believed the loan will be perfected. He was met at San Jose by several prominent business men and officials, and they came to the city by special train.

Twenty-five hundred troops left the capital yesterday to suppress the revolution in the eastern department on the border, and will remain until peace is assured or orders are given to invade the Salvadorian frontier.

Consternation continues in this city. Provisions and all other necessaries of life are sold at fabulous prices, and commerce is very much depressed. Merchants have sent orders to the United States and to Europe countermanding and delaying shipments on all goods for Guatema'a.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 20.—It is reported in Guatemala that the government is concentrating troops on the coast and in the northern department to act against the revolutionists.

A dispatch from Salvador says: Dr. Galindo, Salvadorian envoy to Guatemala, is expected here to-morrow with a protocol of peace.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—The Pacific Mail steamer Colima, which carried a consignment of firearms which was seized by Guatemalan soldiers, arrived here yesterday. Her officers say the seized arms consisted of 25 cases of Winchester rifles and 25 cases of cartridges, consigned to Acajutlu, Salvador. When the steamer arrived at San Jose the Guatemalan authorities boarded her and threatened that if the arms were not given up the steamer would not be allowed to sail. A compromise was effected by which the arms were to be put in a lighter and transferred to the steamer City of Sydney, to be returned to shippers at San Francisco. As soon as the arms had been put on board the lighter an armed Guatemalan crew came off in a boat and made a formal seizure of the lighter and its contents. The officers protested against this breach of faith, but the Guatemalans only laughed at them.

A ROYAL TIME.

Young Midshipmen of the Thrush Impersonate Prince George's Party at a Banquet in Halifax.

HALIFAX, N.S., Aug. 20.—Prince George of Wales is having a pleasant time socially. Last evening he was the guest of Archbishop O'Brien, at whose home he met a brilliant company. To-morrow a ball will be given at the admiralty house in his honor, and Friday evening he will be the guest of Sir John Ross.

The joke played by five midshipmen in impersonating his highness is still the topic of conversation, and the punishment to be meted out is the subject of much speculation. The true story is as follows:—On the 2nd instant, when they arrived, the deputation was sent out to the ship to invite the prince to a grand banquet given by the upper ten of this city. The notice was so short that the invitation had to be declined and five midshipmen, Henry Pixley, George Woodlock, W. J. Braffen F. K. J. Cargill and S. U. Ponson, were deputed to deliver the answer to the invitation. To Pixley occurred the happy thought that it would be well to personate the prince. His friends encouraged the idea. They all put up at the best hotel in the place and one was sent off to the gorgeously decorated mansion selected for the reception, to announce that Prince George would have much pleasure in accepting the invitation of his grandma's liege subject.

At 8 o'clock the young men arrived, Pixley playing the prince with great success. They were led to the seat of honor, and all the beauties of Halifax were introduced to them. The society was delighted with the prince's affable manners and pleasant smiles. Every one went into raptures after the banquet. Toasts were drunk and the pseudo prince responded gracefully to that of Her Majesty, the Prince of Wales and the British navy. They each lost a little of their dignity by this time, by inviting every one to meet them on board the Thrush the next day. This was unfortunate. The young men returned well satisfied with their evening's entertainment, but the morrow brought retribution swift and sure. One of the hosts visited the Thrush and discovered the fraud. Consternation ensued and the young men are to be court martialed for conduct unbefitting English officers and gentlemen.

A Daughter's Influence.

I had a very severe attack of bloody diarrhœa and was persuaded by my daughter to try Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, which I did with great success, as less than two bottles cured me. It is worth its weight in gold. MRS. MARGARET W[illegible], Pembroke, Ont.

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PROFITABLE VOICES.

What Choir Singers Are Paid in the Large Cities of the Country.

A soprano, in an average city, will be paid, as a beginner, anywhere from $200 to $300 per annum, writes E. Alino Osgood in the Ladies' Home Journal. As she becomes better known, and is in more thorough command of her voice, she will average from $500 to $800. Boston pays about $200 per annum better to choir singers than any other city in my knowledge. Several sopranos there receive yearly salaries of $1,000 and $1,200, and a few $1,500.

A woman with a good contralto voice will begin at an annual salary of $200, which, if she is successful, may rise to an average of $500. There are two churches in Philadelphia, I believe, which pay their contraltos $400; but this, in cities outside of Boston, which, as with sopranos, average about $200 higher, is unusual. And even a genuine alto—that rarest of things in these days—will command but from $300 to $400 per annum. The Hub, of course, does better than this, by adding $200; but even with this addition, none of these salaries appear precisely extravagant, or to admit of much luxury in living, and salaries are rarely increased. Should a rival church make an offer for a voice, if the first church is desirous of retaining it, the rival's price is outbid, and the voice retained.

But this is the only reason, of which I have knowledge, for increasing salaries. However, it must be remembered that this salary is paid for singing only at two services, and for attendance at one or two rehearsals a week. All the rest of the singer's time is her own to dispose of as she pleases. Prove she an apt pupil to her new master, he will send to her, for instructions, scholars whom he has not the time to teach. Or she may secure engagements to sing at different church concerts, or, laying aside her music, may take to sewing, painting, decorating, or any of the many ways in which girls are able to make a living. No work must be undertaken which will in any way conflict with the choir singing, for this, remember, is the reason of her existence. She is first and before all else a singer; that is her profession. Let this never be forgotten.

SWEET BUT COSTLY.

An Indiana Man Who Spent a Small Fortune to Be Revenged.

Some years ago one of the prominent banks of the State failed for many thousands of dollars, says the Indianapolis News. The crash was precipitated by a "run," and many people suffered. A gentleman was talking with a News reporter of the failure.

"There is a story connected with that bank failure that is known to but few persons, and has never been in print," he said. "In that town ten years ago there was a poor boy who had patented an invention with which he expected to make a fortune, but he had no means. He called on the president of the bank for help, but was repulsed and told to return to his work and give up such foolish ideas.

"The young man struggled on for a couple of years before he got the needed financial assistance. I think all he wanted was fifteen hundred dollars.

"The invention was a success, and in four years he was worth $150,000. He purchased some of the bank stock—enough to be on the inside—and made deposits sufficient to be on friendly terms with the officials of the bank. In a few months he discovered that the bank president had loaned large sums of money on poor security, and that a 'run' would bring about a failure.

"He sold his stock and began checking his deposits, claiming he needed the money for investments. When he had a small balance on hand he went to several heavy depositors and told them the bank was shaky, and advised them to get their money. This started the run, and in two hours the bank was closed."

"How much was the balance he left in the bank?"

"Fifteen thousand dollars. This he lost, but he has told me frequently that the $15,000 he lost was nothing to the satisfaction he had in seeing the bank go under and the wealthy president who had treated him so harshly made penniless."

FOOT-PRINTS OF JESUS.

A Queer Relic Preserved in Church of Domine Quo Vadis, Rome.

In the Church of Domine Quo Vadis, Rome, carefully preserved under a plate glass, bell-shaped dome, three and a half feet high and four feet in diameter across the bottom, may be seen the last foot-prints made by Jesus on this earth; those made by Him the night He appeared to Peter when the latter was leaving Rome in hot haste on account of Nero's persecutions of the Christians. A. J. C. Hare in his "Walks in Rome," says (p.267): "The foot-prints kept enshrined in the Church of Domine Quo Vadis are only copies of those said to have been left here by our Saviour, the originals having been removed to S. Sebastians."

St. Ambrose is the author of the story concerning the circumstances under which the celebrated foot-prints were made; a story quite interesting, whether fact or fiction. I quote from Mrs. Jameson: "After the burning of Rome, Nero threw upon the Christians the accusation of having fired the city. This was the origin of the first persecution, in which many perished by terrible and hitherto unheard-of deaths. The Christian converts besought Peter not to expose his life, and he started to leave the city. As he fled along the Appian Way, about two miles from the gates, he was met by a vision of our Saviour traveling towards the city. Struck with amazement, Peter exclaimed: 'Lord, whither goest Thou?' (Domine quo Vadis?) to which Jesus, looking upon him with a mild sadness, replied: 'I go to Rome to be crucified a second time,' and immediately vanished."

Peter, taking this as a sign that he was to submit himself to all manner of suffering for the sake of his religion, retraced his steps to the city. He told the story of meeting with Jesus at the divide in the roads. Some of the faithful repaired to the spot, cut out of the damp clay the holy foot-prints, and preserved them as above stated.

NOTICES.

A BY-LAW

To enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to raise the sum of $300,000 for Sewerage Purposes.

AND Whereas, it is expedient to raise the sum of $300,000 for the purpose of constructing a general system of sewerage works for the benefit of the City of Victoria.

And whereas, for the purposes aforesaid it will be necessary to raise by way of loan, upon the credit of said Corporation the sum of $300,000.

And whereas, it will require the sum of $14,659.65 to be raised annually by special rate, for the payment of said debt and interest as hereinafter mentioned.

And whereas, the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1889, was $8,948,903, irrespective of any future increase of the rateable property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, and of any income in the nature of tolls, interest or dividends from any stock, shares or interest in the work upon which the money so to be raised or any part thereof, is intended to be invested, and also irrespective of any income from the temporary investment of the sinking fund or any part thereof.

And whereas for the saying of interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal sum of $14,659.65 and interest as hereinafter mentioned, it will require an equal annual rate of 164-1000 in the dollar.

And whereas it is the intention of the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria that three persons, to be called Commissioners of Sewerage, shall be appointed to superintend the construction and erection of such sewerage works, and confirm all disbursements and outlays in connection therewith.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Cou[illegible] City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, for the purpose aforesaid, to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, the said sum of $300,000, and cause the same to be paid to the Treasurer of the said Corporation, and in respect thereof for the said Mayor to issue debentures of the said Corporation to the amount of $300,000, in sums of not less than £200 sterling, or its equivalent, each payable at the end of fifty years from the date on which this By-law takes effect, and to bear interest at the rate of four per cent per annum, payable half yearly, on the 20th day of May and on the 20th day of November in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures.

2. The said debentures, as to principal and interest, shall be payable at the office of the Bank of British North America in London, England, New York City, New York State, United States of America, or Victoria, Province of British Columbia, Canada.

3. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, and he is hereby authorized and instructed to sign and issue the said debentures hereby authorized to be issued. The Clerk of the said Corporation is hereby authorized and instruted to attach the seal of the said Corporation to the said debentures after such signing by the Mayor.

4. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures, and the interest at the rate aforesaid to become due thereon, an equal special rate of 164-1000 in the dollar shall, in addition to all other rates, be levied, raised and collected in each year upon all the rateable property in the said Corporation during the continuance of the said debentures, or any of them.

5. This by-law shall, before the final passage thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipal Act, 1889, and amending Acts.

This By-Law shall take effect on the 20th day of November, 1890.

This By-law may be cited as the "Sewerage Loan By-law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council this 6th day of August, A.D. 1890.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the municipality will be taken at Burnes' Building, Bastion Square, for Yates Street Ward; at the City Hall, for Johnson Street Ward, and at the Hook and Ladder House, Government Street, for James Bay Ward, on the 18th day of September next, and that the polls will be kept open between the hours of 8 a. m. and 4 p. m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER.
C. M. C.

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A BY-LAW

Authorizing the Sale of Part of Lot 423, Block 2, Victoria City.

WHEREAS the premises known as the Deluge Fire Engine House and the Tiger Fire Engine House, both situate in the City of Victoria, are in too close proximity to each other for the best protection from fire of the said City;

And whereas it has been found expedient to dispose of the premises known as the Deluge Fire Engine House and the Lot of land upon which the same is erected:

And whereas it is the intention of the Corporation of said city to purchase other land and premises at some more advantageous and useful position or positions in said City, and to use the proceeds of the sale of said Deluge Fire Engine House and premises in the purchase of the said other land and premises and the erection and establishment thereon of other fire engine stations.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. That the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria be, and he is hereby authorized to sell on behalf of the Corporation of the said City of Victoria the buildings and premises known as the Deluge Fire Engine House and the Lot of Land upon which the same is erected, being part of Lot 423, Block 2, of the City of Victoria.

2. That the said Clerk do advertise for tenders for the said land and hereditaments, and that the price at which the same are sold shall be first approved by the Municipal Council of the said City,

This By-law may be cited as the Deluge Fire Engine Sale By-law.

Passed the Municipal Council the 18th day of August, A.D. 1890.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-law upon which the vote of the municipality will be taken at Burnes' Building, Bastion Square, for Yates Street Ward; at the City Hall for Johnson Street Ward, and at the Hook and Ladder House, Government Street, for James Bay Ward, on the 18th day of September next, and that the polls will be kept open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

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A BY-LAW

Respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the Year 1890.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. The assessment roll of the said City for the year 1890 shall be returned by the assessor to the clerk of the Municipal Council on the 20th day of August, 1890.

2. Any and all persons complaining of his or their respective assessments on the said roll shall, within one month after the time hereinbefore fixed for returning said roll, notify in writing the Clerk of the Municipal Council of his or their grounds of complaint.

3. All complaints of which due notice shall have been given shall be heard at the City Hall, Victoria, on the 22nd day of September, 1890, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon after as they can be heard,

Passed the Municipal Council the 25th day of June, 1890,

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
aug2 C. M. C.

A BY-LAW,

To amend the "Revenue By-Law."

BE IT ENACTED, BY THE MAYOR AND Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:—

1. That sub-section 9 of Schedule A of the Revenue By-law, 1889, be amended by striking out all the words therein after the words "six months," at the end of the second line thereof,

2. By adding at the end of section 22 of said Schedule "A," the following: "Every person who carries on the occupation of a stevedore, or who has taken contracts to load or unload ships within the Municipality, $50 for every six months."

This By-law may be cited as the "Revenue Amendment By-law, 1890, No. 2."

Passed the Municipal Council this 18th day of June, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, the 25th day of June, A. D. 1890.

JOHN GRANT,
[L. S.] Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C. jly9

MUNICIPAL.

To Owners of Real Estate.

Assessment notices have this day been mailed to all Owners of Real Estate in Victoria City.

In all cases where the numbers of the houses could be obtained from the Directory, the notices have been so addressed.

To prevent any mistakes, all parties are requested to call at the Post Office who do not receive their letters at their place of abode or business.

W. W. NORTHCOTT,
au19-2w Assessor.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT from and after the 10th day of July next, all parties whose properties have sewerage connection with the Johnson Street Ravine, will be prosecuted.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Hall, June 30th, 1890. jly1-tf

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that after the first day of October next it will be unlawful for any waggon or vehicle, carrying a load of more than two thousand pounds weight, avoirdupois, to be drawn or driven on any of the public highways of Victoria District, as defined by the Constitution Act, unless the tires of such waggon or vehicle shall be at least four (4) inches in width.

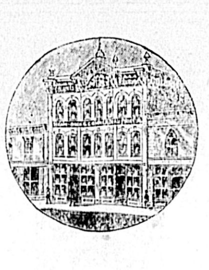
W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C. Aug. 9, 1890. au10

Respecting the Sale of Crown Lands

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, PURsuant to an Order in Council, approved by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor on the 30th July, instant, the alienation of any and all Crown Lands by private sale will be discontinued from and after this date until further notice, pending contemplated legislation.

This notice shall not affect or prevent the right to complete the purchase or sale of any lands in respect of which notices of intention to make application to purchase have been published in the British Columbia Gazette prior to the first day of August next.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., July 31st, 1890. aug1



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De 8.00 A.M	De 3.08 P.M		VICTORIA	Ar 12.24 P.M	Ar 8.40 P.M	
" 8.01	" 3.12		RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	" 12.29	" 8.36	
" 8.14	" 3.22		ESQUIMALT	" 12.10	" 8.26	
" 8.39	" 3.47		GOLDSTREAM	" 11.45 A.M	" 8.01	
" 9.31	" 4.42		SHAWNIGAN L'E	" 10.50	" 7.06	
" 9.41	" 4.52		COBBLE HILL	" 10.40	" 6.56	
" 9.57	" 5.07		McPHERSON'S	" 10.27	" 6.41	
" 10.07	" 5.17		KOKSILAH	" 10.17	" 6.31	
" 10.12	" 5.22		DUNCAN'S	" 10.12	" 6.26	
" 10.22	" 5.32		SOMENOS	" 10.02	" 6.16	
" 10.48	" 5.54		CHEMAINUS	" 9.36	" 5.51	
Ar 11.50	" 6.52	P.M. De 10.15	NANAIMO	De 8.31	" 4.56	P.M. Ar 7.30
De 11.59				Ar 8.25		
Ar 12.14 P.M	Ar 7.07	Ar. 10.30	WELLINGTON	De 8.10	De 4.41	De 7.15

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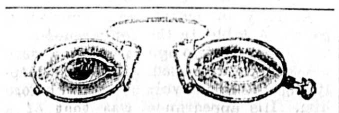

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Per R. P. RITHET, from New Westminster—Mrs J Graham, Mrs Maynard and 12 children, Mrs Wm Robson, Mr and Mrs Knight, R Porter, J Graham, H Norris, W A Duncan, J Robinson, S McGuire, A Chapman, G Wright, R Neynolds, F King, P Smith, L Dunn, S T Stone, J Chandler, S P Sharp, W Dodds, L Anderson, Y Hamberck, P Hansen, Van Volkenburgh.

Per C. P. R. and steamer ISLANDER—J Barker, W Haw, Mrs Morton, D Oppenheimer, H Dolan, J Duval, S Bainard, Master J Rithet, F W Carleton, C McInnes, A R Sinclair, Mrs Finn, O D Moody, S P Mills, C D Rand, N R Townsend, J S Bowker, R P Rithet, Master Rithet, Mrs F W Carleton, D McInnes, Mrs Sinclair, A R Ellis, E O Welton, Miss M M Byrne, R C Mannion, W Allen, C J B Marriott, Miss Rithet, J Norris, Capt Urquhart.

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Per Steamer OLYMPIAN from the Sound—C F Chapman.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—R Dunsmuir & Son, A Lewis & Co, H Saunders, J Schofield, H C McAuley.

Per Steamer RITHET from Westminster—R Porter, J Parker, Brackman & Ker, Thompson & King, T Smurdy, S Leiser, D F Fee, H Saunders, Cowan & Wilson, R Elley, Miss C Hendry, E G Prior & Co, Newbery, Cornelius, H Bornstein, Pooley, J H Todd & Son, Marchant Futcher & Co, Brown Bros, W McDowell, Vic Transfer Co, W Dalby, H Morris, G Tollick, Johnson W & Flett.

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DIED.

CLYDE—In this city, on the 20th instant, Alexander Clyde, a native of Huntingdon, P.Q., in his 56th year.

The funeral will take place from his residence, 28 Rock Bay, TO-DAY (Friday afternoon), at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

CARTER—In this city, on the 20th instant, of consumption, Elizabeth Jane Carter, a native of South Lincolnshire, England, aged 22 years.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, at 2 o'clock, from the parenst' residence, 123 Chatham street, and at 2:30 p.m. from the Methodist Church, Pandora street.

WONNACOTT—In this city, on the 21st inst., Mrs. Hannah Wonnacott, aged 62 years, a native of Anglesea, Wales.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

INWARDS.

Str. Umatilla............from San Francisco.
" Islander............from Vancouver.
" Olympian,............" The Sound.
" City of Kingston....." "
" R. P. Rithet........" Westminster.

OUTWARDS.

Str. Islander..............for Vancouver.
" Umatilla.............." San Francisco.
" City of Kingston......" The Sound.
" Olympian.............." "
" R. P. Rithet.........." Westminster.

LOCAL.

The steamer R. P. Rithet stopped at the Outer wharf on her inward trip and took on a quantity of freight for New Westminster ex S. S. Umatilla, also 400 sacks of rice to the order of the Canadian Pacific Railway company.

The steamer Islander, this morning, takes out to Vancouver a large quantity of fruit from the outer wharf. It was brought out by the S. S. Umatilla and is the largest consignment of California fruit of the season.

The Hope has returned with the Bonanza which she has towed up with supplies for Bonilla point lighthouse.

Steamer Badger has brought down two scow loads of lumber for Leigh and Son's sawmill.

Steamer Lottie is having new boiler beds laid down and being overhauled generally.

The Mystery has returned from Tacoma where she had taken a cargo of giant powder for blasting purposes.

The Bonanza is engaged in connection with the work on the Alexander.

Steamer Umatilla brought in 147 tons of freight consigned to Victoria business houses.

The steamship Parthia arrived at Vancouver on Wednesday night, 13 days, 22 hours and 44 minutes from Yokohama. She brought about 1,500 tons of freight, chiefly tea and silk; 900 of which is overland, 200 for 'Frisco and the balance for the rest of the coast. She had twenty-three bags of mail for London, Glasgow Dublin and other points.

Descendants of De Quincey.

It is not generally known that three of the Opium-Eater De Quincey's family are still alive—one son and two daughters. The surviving son is Paul Frederick De Quincey, who won distinction in the English army during the Indian mutiny. He retired from the army a good many years ago, when he had attained the rank of Brigade-Major. He went to New Zealand, purchased land and settled there. He organized the New Zealand militia about the time of the last Maori war, and is still alive and well, at present occupying the post of Sergeant-at-Arms to the New Zealand Parliament. The two surviving daughters are Mrs. Baird Smith, a widow, and Miss De Quincey. They reside in London.

Four Years in Sawyerville.

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THE COURTEOUS SWEDES.

Points Which Attract the Attention of Travelers in Oscar's Kingdom.

The beautiful politeness and courtesy of the Swedes is a thing that is very striking to visitors, writes a contributor to Temple Bar. They have a large assortment of bows, bobs, courtesies and hat-liftings, according to age and sex, but the lifting of the hat to mere acquaintances reaches, I fancy, much lower down in the social scale than elsewhere in Europe; it looks odd to see the butcher-boy in a blouse elaborately taking off his hat to the baker's assistant. I suspect, on examination, Swedish hats would be found to contain a little extra stiffening, in order to enable them to stand the wear and tear of these greetings in the market-places.

On one occasion, when going by steamboat to Upsala, I noticed a very quaint example of this National trait. The steamboat, as it nears Upsala, passes through many shallow reaches of the Malar lake, where the depth of water is insufficient to allow of the passengers being landed in the ordinary manner directly on to landing stages, and so have to be taken on shore in small boats. The ferryman on shipping his complement of passengers would first take a dozen strokes or so in order to clear the screw of the steamer, and then would carefully lay aside his oars, rise from his seat, and take off his hat with a solemn bow to the people sitting in the stern whom he had just taken off the deck of the steamer. He would then row on again and put them ashore. This did not occur as an isolated instance, but regularly every time the passengers had to be landed by shore-boats.

The women of the middle and lower classes are little if at all behind their husbands and brothers in this matter. Their good temper and pretty behavior are worthy of all praise. The servant girls in Dalecarlian peasant dress, the *cafe-mamselles* and the young persons employed in shops all make the prettiest of all possible little bob courtesies, and so, oddly enough, do the young ladies of good family up to the day of their confirmation, which ceremony takes place rather later than with us, generally about the age of sixteen. From that day forth they put their hair up and take to bowing.

The Upsala students amuse one a good deal by the elaboration and ceremoniousness of their manners. Any day during the vacation a few of them may be seen gathered around a table in the garden cafes of Hasselbacken or Tivoli, drinking their punch. They are mostly lads under twenty, but they bow to each other, and make little civil speeches, and pledge each other with solemn salutation, all according to the strictest Swedish etiquette, as if they were middle-aged gentlemen of high dignity and position but slightly acquainted with one another. They certainly take themselves very seriously.

The custom of pledging or health-drinking is a survival from very ancient times. The glass is raised, a slight bow made, the word *skal* (literally bow) pronounced, followed by another slight bow, when the glass is replaced on the table, generally empty; it is not *de rigueur*, however, that it should be so, but in Denmark, where a similar custom obtains, the glass must always be drained to the last drop. To English eyes it appears quaint to see this complicated ceremonial observed toward each other by college companions not yet out of their teens.

Another point which soon attracts the attention of visitors is the punctilious honesty and truthfulness of the Swedes; this is best seen in the many little incidents of daily life. When asking for places at the theater, for instance, the ticket clerk never fails to inform you if, owing to the crowded state of the house, a better position would be secured with a cheaper ticket than the one asked for. Again, when parcels are taken out by steamers from Stockholm to country places in the neighborhood they are just thrown out on to the quay, where they frequently remain half the day without being claimed. It never seems to occur to any one that they could possibly be taken by any one but their rightful owners. On a trip of any length, as for instance to Gothenburg by canal, a little book lies in the saloon of the steamer in which each passenger keeps his own account of the number of meals, cafes, cognacs, etc., he may take during the journey. But, indeed, it is impossible to talk to a Swede for any length of time and not see how incapable of any meanness or dishonesty he must be. There is nearly always a simplicity and straightforwardness of manner the very antipodes of affectation, which is certainly a very pleasing attribute, and which can scarcely fail to convince the least observant person that he has before him a man who thoroughly respects himself, and who walks very steadfastly on the straight line. The Swedes, you feel, are a nation of gentlemen down to the coal-heavers and the wharf-men.

A Necklace of Human Eyes.

The wife of W. E. Curtis, of Washington, says the St. Louis Republic, is the possessor of a most uncanny ornament in the shape of a necklace made of human eyes. The eyes were taken from Peruvian mummies, polished and placed in their present sittings. Accounts given out a few years ago, when the necklace was being made, said that the eyes were those of a kind of fish which, owing to the human eye's proneness to decay, had been substituted, but an embalmer who could preserve fish eyes for centuries would also understand how to harden the pulpy matter of the human eye.

What the Negro Was Reading.

A party of ladies and gentlemen passed a table in the Congressional library a day or two ago at which a very black man was seated, apparently deeply engrossed in a volume spread before him. His appearance was that of a field hand in costume and general make-up, and he was as black as the ace of spades. One of the party, interested in learning the book which occupied the colored man's time, discovered by looking over his shoulder, that it was "The Laws of Evolution."

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